



Storm-Felled Tree Strikes Happy Valley Home

W. D. Johnson, Latoria Road, Happy Valley, above, today studied best way to remove 80-foot fir tree that fell across his house at 11 p.m. Friday. High wind combined with rain-soaked tree, soft ground, and shallow roots caused tree to fall, he said. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

POWER FAILS, HOME DAMAGED

School Children Marooned As Savage Wind Whips City

BEAUDOIN HEADS OFF BLACKMORE 'PURGE'

OTTAWA (CP)—John Blackmore, Social Credit member for Lethbridge, tried twice Friday to start a debate in the Commons on possible Communist infiltration into government jobs.

Both times Speaker Rene Beaudoin ruled him out of order on a technicality.

Mr. Blackmore said he wanted the Commons to discuss the immediate need of setting up adequate means of identifying all Communists or Communist agents "who may be, or come to be, among the personnel of Canadian government offices" and of safeguarding Canada against harm from these agents.

AFTER VESSEL CAPSIZED

Two Tug Survivors Kept Brief Contact

Engineer Kept Hold on Upright Lifeboat 14 Hours in Freezing Sea; Search Goes On

(From CP and BUP Dispatches)

VANCOUVER—An armada of small boats combed icy waters 50 miles northwest of here today for two possible survivors of a tug sinking from which at least two of seven crew members escaped alive.

RCMP officers said it was "just possible" that the two remaining men were as lucky as the boat's captain and engineer who made it to shore.

"The chances are slim, but the other two men might still be alive," a spokesman said.

The bodies of three other crewmen were recovered Friday, 12 hours after gale force winds rammed the 75-foot C. P. Yorke against a reef and sent it down in 40 fathoms of water.

Two of the dead were identified tentatively as Fred Crutchley of Vancouver, the mate, and ship's cook S. Curzan, also of Vancouver.

Capt. Roy Johnson was thought to be the only survivor of the crash until chief engineer William Macdonald of Vancouver made it ashore in the ship's lifeboat Friday night.

Macdonald landed at Nelson Island and was taken to Pender Hospital, where he was reported in "very good condition."

RELATES ORDEAL

Mrs. L. C. Hartley, matron at St. Mary's Hospital, told of Macdonald's ordeal:

"When the boat began to sink, Macdonald was pitched into the water. But he had his lifebelt on—the crew did."

"After several minutes, he managed to swim to a lifeboat which had been torn from the boat when it sank. He managed to clamber onto the lifeboat, which had a canvas cover over it and he could see the captain in the water, not too far away."

"The two talked for 15 or 20 minutes and the captain kept waving his flashlight, which was probably the reason he was rescued so promptly."

"Then the captain lost consciousness."

"Several minutes later, the lifeboat turned over, but its canvas cover kept it afloat and Macdonald clung to the bottom."

The engineer kept his hold for nearly 14 hours and drifted 12 miles from the wreck scene. Then he lapsed into unconsciousness.

"He was washed ashore," Mrs. Hartley said.

He was found unconscious on the beach at Cape Cockburn, Nelson Island, by a Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, owners of the fishboat Howie.

Capt. Johnson, who was hospitalized at Pender Harbor suffering severe shock and exposure, first told how the mishap occurred at the entrance to Bucker Bay in the Thorman Islands.

"It happened about 2 o'clock," he said. "Before we knew it, we were swept onto the ledge. We got lifebelts and rafts and went over the side. I kept worrying about the others and then I lost consciousness."

The bodies were recovered by fishing vessels and tugs that converged on the area after the crash.

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Mission Mother Shoots Molester, Held for Murder

Woman's Husband Away at Kemano

MISSION, B.C. (CP)—Police said today they will charge Mrs. Alberta Brown, a 25-year-old mother of three children, with murder in the shooting of a man she said had been "bothering me."

Dead is Ollie Johnston, of Vancouver.

Police said the woman fired a .22 calibre rifle at the man through the door of her home in this Fraser Valley city, 35 miles east of Vancouver.

The bullet hit Johnston in the stomach and he staggered away to a taxi which had brought him to the house.

He told the driver: "Get me to hospital quick. I've been shot." He died in hospital here five minutes later.

"VERY FRANK"

Chief Constable Sam Service of the Mission municipal police said: "The woman was very frank about the incident. She took me to a bedroom where she produced the rifle. There was still another shell in the breach. 'She said she was keeping the gun ready in case Johnston came back because she was afraid of him.'"

Chief Service said the young woman told him that the man had "bothered her repeatedly. He had knocked loudly at the door and asked to come in."

2 Vancouver Men Die In Plunge Off Pier

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two men were drowned early today when their car plunged off a pier, struck rocks 18 feet below and overturned in four feet of water near the Jericho army barracks.

The victims, civilian truck drivers for the department of national defense, were James Arthur McDonald, 27, and Peter Mauro, 39, both of Vancouver.

The suite was occupied by Mrs. Edward Bennett and her three children, who escaped safely.

Rod Bayles, Langford fire chief, said the fire started in the bedroom of the apartment.

Girl Seen by Four Women May Be Missing Marion

TORONTO (BUP)—A search for kidnapped Marion McDowell led detectives today to Thamesville, Ont., 175 miles southwest, where four women insisted they had seen the 17-year-old typist in the company of a man with "polished fingernails."

Mrs. Stella Gordon, a factory worker who was eating lunch in a Thamesville restaurant, said the girl sat at the counter with a man who looked to be about 35 years old. She had a puffed face and swollen ankles.

Mrs. Gordon's companions at lunch, Mrs. Theresa Rushton and Mrs. Augusta Sullivan, and waitress Stella Allen all gave corresponding descriptions of the girl.

They said she sat quietly, unsmiling and unresponsive. The man watched her all the time. Meanwhile a frogman was scheduled to go down into a well about 10 miles northeast of the Scarborough township lovers' lane where an armed and masked man slugged the girl and companion James Wilson, stuffed her limp form into the trunk of his car and drove off last Sunday night.

BRITISH RAIL UNIONS CALL YULETIDE STRIKE

LONDON (UP)—The National Union of Railwaymen announced today its 400,000 members throughout the nation will go on strike Dec. 20. Such a strike would throw British Christmas travel into chaos.

The announcement followed three days of talks over the union's demands for pay increases. It was the latest in a series of recent labor crises.

American Among 13 Victims of India Plane Crash

NAGPUR, India (UP)—A nationalized Indian airliner crashed near here today, killing an American, an Indian legislator and 11 others. The pilot was the only survivor. The American victim, only foreigner among the plane's 10 passengers, and four crewmen, were identified as J. B. von Maltzan.

Other victims included Harihar Nath Shastri, prominent union leader and member of India's parliament.

The DC-3's two engines failed for undetermined reasons.



Glen Lake Home Damaged in Fire

Suite on second floor of Glen Lake notions store was gutted by fire that started shortly after 8 a.m. Volunteer firemen from Langford and Colwood, who answered the call, are seen on roof of still-smouldering building. Fire was hottest in room by charred window and wall at left. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

TWO FIREMEN HURT IN LANGFORD BLAZE

Mother, Three Children Escape Unhurt; Father Comes Home to Ruined Suite

Two Langford firemen were injured today when fighting a fire of undetermined origin that gutted a second-floor suite above the Glen Lake notions store of H. W. Hobbs, at the junction of Sooke and Happy Valley Roads.

Ronald Renshaw, 25, of 748 Island Highway, was blown down a steep flight of stairs when attempting to reach the blazing suite, and suffered back injuries.

Mr. Bennett knew nothing of the fire until he arrived home from his midnight to 8 a.m. shift at EMC Dockyard. He found his family evacuated and his home a mass of wet, charred rubbish.

Mr. Hobbs, owner of the building, said it was covered by insurance. He has operated the store and adjoining post office for seven years.

Whitecaps, Rain As Queen, Duke Cross Pacific

ABOARD SS GOTHIC (CP)—Brilliant sunshine of the last week which has brightened the voyage of Queen Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh towards Fiji Islands vanished today.

The weather turned cloudy and overcast, with rain visible five miles away from this Royal liner. The wind whipped whitecaps on to the Pacific rollers.

The Queen and the duke wore sun glasses Friday as they stood on the saluting platform above the bridge of the Gothic and watched a ceremonial change of escort ships, which the Queen filmed with her camera.

They are due at the Fiji group Dec. 17, where they will spend three days, including an overnight trip to the Friendly Islands, 450 miles away.

A BOWL OF BARLEY GRUEL

\$3,179.51 in Life-Saving Fund

(Donors' List, Page 15)

The Times fund to check starvation of 50,000 Korean orphans grasping for life-sustaining barley gruel, today reached \$3,179.51.

Since Friday, 95 persons have contributed, upping the total from \$2,800. More than one-third of these contributors were anonymous.

Many of today's contributors are not in the names list which follows. They will be shown Monday.

The "Barley for Korea" campaign, now in its sixth day, is on behalf of the Unitarian Service Committee. The USC, is trying to reach an objective of \$125,000 across Canada by Christmas.

With the money, 150 bowls of Canadian barley gruel can be given to helpless hungry little ones for \$1. A bowl daily keeps a child alive.

Dean Says Communists Deliberately Insulting

PANMUNJOM, Korea (UP)—The United Nations broke off negotiations for holding a Korean peace conference today, charging the Communists with deliberately insulting the United States to force the walkout.

UN envoy Arthur H. Dean said he would not return to the conference table unless the Communists formally request resumption of the talks which became deadlocked last Tuesday.

The walkout appeared to end any chance of convening the conference which was planned by Korean armistice negotiators to settle peacefully the questions of Korean unification and disposition of unrepatriated prisoners.

Dean said Huang Hua, Communist Chinese negotiator, read a prepared statement accusing the United States of "petrified" in plotting with South Korea to release some 27,000 anti-Red North Korean prisoners last June 18.

REDS LIED, SAYS DEAN

Dean told the two Communist negotiators that the Communists lied when they assured the United Nations that all prisoners who had asked to go home had been repatriated in "operation big switch."

"You are still illegally holding American military personnel in China or Manchuria," Dean said. "You have kept thousands of Koreans captured from the Republic of Korea army."

The American lawyer, who has been negotiating with Huang and North Korean envoy Ki Sok Bok since last Oct. 16, said the Chinese remarks became "ruder and ruder" and it was evident the Communists wanted to end the talks.

"They must have intended to break off the talks or they wouldn't have charged the United States of perjury," Dean said. "It is obvious they are now doing everything they can to prevent unification of Korea."

But Dean said he would wait a "reasonable time" for the Communists to request resumption of negotiations.

Sirens Shriek In Audition For Emergency

Civil defense sirens were given an audition today.

All over the Greater Victoria area the sirens wailed their warning, all too familiar to hundreds here who remember the days of the blitz in Britain.

Purpose of the test is to discover just how far the voices of alarm can be heard, whether there are still districts in a "silence zone," and if the racket of industry and traffic is sufficient to drown the siren shrieks in downtown areas.

Queries to the Times, fire halls and police indicated the sirens were heard far and wide. But the full results of the test won't be known until all data has been tabulated by civil defense officials.

Liberal Leader Facing Charge

VANCOUVER—Provincial Liberal party leader Arthur Laing was charged with being intoxicated in a public place Friday night, after an automobile in which he was a passenger was stopped by police on East Broadway.

Police reported that they started to follow an auto east on Broadway at approximately 10 p.m., because of its irregular behavior.

The car stopped in front of a theatre in the 1500 block East Broadway and police charged the driver with impairment.

He was Gregory Fahlan, 33, of 7828 Jasper Crescent. Police said Laing was a passenger in Fahlan's auto.

Ted Temple and Inspector Ralph Booth of the traffic department laid the charges.

Laing was released on his own recognizance without bail. Fahlan was charged also with speeding. The officers who followed his car reported it was going 37 miles an hour on East Broadway.

The Laing case was remanded a week when his name was called in police court today.

HALL PLANNED TO KILL BONNIE, SAYS SHOULDERS

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Carl Austin Hall, kidnap killer of six-year-old Bobby Greenlease, planned to slay his partner, Mrs. Bonnie Brown Heady, former police lieutenant Louis Shoulders said Friday night. Shoulders, in an exclusive interview with Ted Schafers, Globe Democrat reporter, said Hall told him of the plan Oct. 6, the night Shoulders arrested Hall.

Hall, Shoulders said, called Mrs. Heady "nothing but a drunken bum" and said the killing was planned for Oct. 7. Shoulders said Hall apparently intended using the same weapon which he used to kill the kidnap victim.

HUGE OUTBOARD MOTORS TO DRIVE B.C. FERRIES

B.C.'s car ferries may be powered by giant outboard motors.

Public Works Minister P. A. Gagliardi told the annual meeting of the B.C. Automobile Association in Vancouver the government will experiment with the big outboards.

A new Kootenay Lake ferry, operated by an outboard, will start operating next summer.

"These new engines are developed in the east and may mean we can spend more money on improving present ferries," Mr. Gagliardi said.

The big outboards, he said, develop up to 500 horsepower.

Madge Wolfenden To Leave Archives

Long Service to Historians Will Continue; Retirement Opens Field of Special Problems

Miss Madge Wolfenden, the woman with the photographic memory, retires next week from the post of provincial assistant archivist.

Miss Wolfenden, who started with the government in 1914, has served under five librarian-archivists.

But her retirement will not mean an end to digging into history. She intends to keep right on peering into the past, and has several historic question marks to which she wants to find answers.

The retiring assistant archivist has been a tremendous help to persons in all walks of life who seek information on historic events.

If her amazing memory didn't come up with the answer, she would spend weeks or months digging through old newspapers, out-of-print books, diaries and letters. It was seldom she couldn't come up with the desired data.

Miss Wolfenden came naturally by her love of B.C. history and her job actually was an all-absorbing hobby. Her father was Col. Richard Wolfenden who came to Victoria in 1859 with the Royal Engineers in the ship Thames City. He became Queen's Printer. Her mother was in Victoria in 1858.

She had a way of encouraging the researcher who becomes discouraged with what can become tedious, tiresome work. She would gently turn the conversation away from history, talk about some current events, and then lead the researcher back to the hunted matter. Refreshed, the history seeker would plough on.

Miss Wolfenden, of course, was quick to pick out mistakes in B.C. history made in newspapers, radio stations, magazines or by public speakers. She would gently chide the wrongdoer and the mistake would be corrected before being filed.

And she has her favorites among the historic figures in B.C.'s robust past. John Tod, a fabulous British Columbian who wrote beautiful letters to his friend Edward Ermatinger, is a favorite. She doesn't think so much of Arthur de Cosmos, whom she considers was a political opportunist.

Miss Wolfenden knows all the scandals in early British Columbia families, but she is discreet when descendants of the families visit the Archives. She doesn't like to see historic scandals written about because it may hurt living descendants.

O.C. SOCCER

LONDON (CP) — Results of soccer games today in the United Kingdom:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Division 1

Arsenal 3, W. Bromwich 2.
Aston Villa 1, Tottenham 2.
Blackpool 1, Newcastle 0.
Cardiff 1, Middlesbrough 0.
Chelsea 3, Manchester U. 1.
Huddersfield 2, Preston W. 0.
Sheff. Wed. 1, Burnley 2.
Wolverhampton 1, Burnley 2.

Division 2

Blackburn 3, Rotherham U. 0.
Brentford 2, Stock 0.
Bristol R. 2, Fulham 1.
Bury 3, Plymouth A. 0.
Derby 2, Leicester C. 1.
Doncaster R. 1, Swindon 0.
Everton 3, Nottingham F. 1.
Hull C. 3, Birmingham 0.
Lincoln 1, West Ham U. 2.
Notts C. 2, Leeds U. 0.
Oxford U. 1, Luton T. 2.

Division 3, Southern

Qullingham 0, Newport 1.
Torquay U. 2, Shrewsbury T. 0.

Division 3, Northern

Chester 2, Rochdale 0.
Gateshead 0, Halifax T. 0.
Mansfield 1, Barnsley 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Division A

Celtic 4, St. Mirren 0.
Dundee 1, East Fife 1.
Falkirk 1, Hearts 1.
Hamilton 1, Aberdeen 3.
Hibernian 1, Stirling A. 2.
Partick 2, Aberdeen 0.
Queen of S. 2, Rangers 1.
Raith R. 3, Clyde 0.

Division B

Albion R. 1, Dundee U. 2.
Aston 1, Ayr U. 1.
Ayr U. 1, Motherwell 4.
Dunfermline 1, Forfar A. 1.
Kilmarnock 1, Stirling A. 2.
Motherwell 1, Dundee U. 2.
St. Johnstone 0, Cowdenbeath 1.
Third Lanark 2, Dunbarton 1.

FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION CUP

Second Round

Accrington 2, Tranmere R. 2.
Barrow 3, Great Yarmouth 2.
Cambridge U. 1, Bradford 1.
Hastings U. 4, Brighton 1.
Ipswich T. 3, Walthamstow A. 2.
Leiston 0, Weymouth 0.
Millwall 3, Watlington U. 3.
Northampton T. 1, Hartlepool U. 1.
Norwich C. 2, Barnsley 1.
Peterborough U. 2, Aldershot 1.
Queen's P. R. 1, Rotherham B. 1.
Rhyl 0, Bristol C. 3.
Southampton U. 1, Bournemouth 0.
Southend U. 1, Chesham 2.
Southport 1, Port Vale 1.
Southport C. 1, Wokingham 1.
Walsall 3, Crew Alex 0.
Wigan A. 1, Grimsby T. 1.
Wrexham 1, Brighton 1.

Football Association Cup, tie to be played on Saturday, Dec. 12, with replays on or before the following Thursday, Dec. 17.

OTHER MATCHES

Bradford C. 4, Carlisle 0.
Crystal P. 2, Colchester U. 1.
Reading 0, Coventry C. 0.
Walsall 1, Southampton 1.

IRISH LEAGUE

Ard 0, Glenelagh 4.
Ballymena U. 5, Coleraine 1.
Crusaders 4, Portadown 2.
Derry C. 1, Distillery 1.
Glenavon 3, Cliftonville 0.
Linfield 3, Bangor 0.

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Small Fry Firemen's Guests

More than 100 children, and their mothers, and fathers, attended the Victoria firemen's Christmas party at the fire hall Friday. R. E. Warner, in charge of a committee of planners, had entertainment, refreshments and presents for the little ones. Santa Claus appeared out of the door of a realistic igloo. Frank Merryfield, a magician; dancers from the Velda Wille Studio, and comic films entertained the guests, a quartette of whom are pictured here, left to right, Diana Allan, Kelley McCausland, Robyn McGowan and Beverley Newell.

ONE'S A PARTY, ONE'S A PANIC

Firemen Stage Two Shows For Bug-Eyed Youngsters

Firemen staged two spectacular displays for children in Victoria Friday, one planned the other unexpected.

Children in classrooms facing 504 Cecelia Street, were allowed by teachers at Burnside School to line windows for a bird's-eye view of firemen fighting an actual fire at that address just after 1 p.m.

Flames which are thought to have been ignited by faulty wiring ate through the basement of the home of J. Richard, causing \$500 smoke damage to the upstairs of the house.

So charged with combustible smoke was the house that firemen said "she was about ready to blow up," when they arrived.

While part of the crew doused the fire others carried huge portable fans into the home to blow out the smoke. The home was fully insured.

Other children, families of city firemen, were treated to a Christmas party later in the day at the firehall. More than 100 youngsters and 75 adults attended.

SANTA IN IGLOO

One of the brightest features of the party was the decoration, all done by the firemen themselves. A huge igloo delighted the youngsters—the more so when Santa Claus

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Climbing Costs Mean Tax Cuts Unlikely in '54

Boasts, Shorter Week Expensive

By VICTOR MACKIE

Times Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA—The next budget will contain no major tax cuts to ease the burden on the Canadian taxpayers in view of the added expenditures which the administration has incurred during the past fiscal year.

That is a conclusion that many members of parliament are reluctantly coming to accept. Hon. Douglas Abbott, minister of finance, by his statement in the House regarding the high cost of the five-day week for civil servants, strengthened the conviction of the M.P.'s Wednesday that any hope for tax decreases have flown out the window.

The cost to the treasury for the recent pay increases for the civil servants and armed forces is approximately \$57,000,000. The cost of extending the five-day week to operating staffs in the service, will add an additional \$10,000,000 in expenditures.

Extending the recent pay increases to the members of the armed forces, and making the five-day week apply to the armed forces operations as well as to civilian staffs, has offset some of the hoped for decreases in defense expenditures.

With an added \$57,000,000 in expenditures, the minister of finance is hampered considerably in seeking to bring about decreases in taxation. The costs of government in Canada are mounting steadily.

Identify Man Found Clubbed To Death

VANCOUVER (CP) — The body of a man found clubbed to death on the 13th fairway of Langara golf course here was identified today as Frank Pitsch, 45, who made a meagre living by collecting lost golf balls.

The body was found Friday under a clump of trees on the edge of the fairway. His battered head was lying on a folded jacket.

Police said today they were considering the possibility that Pitsch had been injured in a fight and had crawled to the spot. He had been known to spend nights on the golf course.

First reports said the corpse had a bullet hole in one temple, but an autopsy later proved he had succumbed to a pounding "with a club or block of wood."

The body was found by golfer Bob Broome. A cloth bag containing one used golf ball lay nearby. Langara professional Ben Calk said he recognized the victim.

The man had been a familiar figure on the course for three years, ducking through the rough in search of lost golf balls.

Police said the body appeared to have been carried to the spot where it was found.

Adlai Stevenson's Speech on Air Tonight

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—Adlai E. Stevenson will deliver a major policy speech tonight dealing with "the state of the public mind, business and foreign trade."

The 1952 presidential nominee will make his nationally televised and broadcast (CBS network) address at 8 p.m.



WOMAN-OF-THE-YEAR

Toronto soprano Lois Marshall today was named Canada's "woman-of-the-year" by British United Press client editors. The gifted singer whose Carnegie Hall debut last December set hardened critics predicting "a long and distinguished career," finished one vote ahead of Mayor Charlotte Whitton of Ottawa. Other strong contenders included two new women senators, Nancy Hodges of Victoria and Muriel McQueen Ferguson of Saint John, N.B.; Margaret Aitken, Toronto newspaper woman who was elected to parliament in August, and Marie Dionne, the quint who chose to become a Roman Catholic nun.

EMERALD MINES

Emerald mines near Bogota, Colombia, have been in operation for four centuries.

U.S. Bomber Hits Mountain; Nine Perish

EL PASO, Tex. (UP) — The bodies of nine men were to be brought down today from the wreckage of a B-36 Global bomber which crashed into the side of a mountain.

The bomber, making a ground-controlled approach to Biggs air force base in zero-zero visibility, slammed into the sheer rock side of 6,000-foot Mount Franklin five miles north of El Paso late Friday and exploded.

A number of bodies have been found, but haven't been identified yet, Lt. Don Atwater, Biggs public information officer, said.

He said it was inconceivable that anyone lived through the crash.

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Optimists' Christmas Tree Sales Open

Stormy weather and high winds failed to dampen the spirits of some 100 pupils, mostly youngsters, who were interested spectators when Santa officially opened the fifth annual Victoria Optimists' Christmas tree campaign Thursday night. Arriving with sleigh and a group of musicians, Santa cut

the ribbon in front of the lot, 325 Cook, and then gave out candies to the children. The trees will be on sale from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., six days a week, until Dec. 23, unless supplies are exhausted before that date. Proceeds go in aid of the club's boys work. (Times Photo.)

PLENTY OF SMOKE BUT NO ALARM

Lung Cancer Due to Cigarettes? Perennial Puffers Unperturbed

By TONY DICKASON. Victorians who perennially puff through packages of cigarettes apparently believe that lung cancer is lung cancer, but "a smoke is still a smoke." Despite recent stories from

the United States, some in national magazines, linking heavy smoking to cancer of the lung, smokers here aren't exactly getting panicky. On the contrary.

One large retailer and wholesaler said that cigarette sales

BRITAIN'S BOY PRINCE BROODS ABOUT SANTA

LONDON (BUP)—Word leaked out of Buckingham Palace today that five-year-old Prince Charles is brooding over how Santa Claus gets up and down the chimney.

Charles, it was learned, is a puzzled young man. He is wondering how Santa manages always to find the right stocking. He is, in fact, on the verge of doubt.

Queen Mother Elizabeth, his nurse and everyone are doing their best to dispel that doubt for one more Christmas. For at Charles' side runs three-year-old Princess Anne, who is thrilled at the prospect of presents from bearded Santa.

And Charles, they feel, would certainly convey any information he has on the subject to Anne.

B.C. Perturbed by Reports Of Indian Girl Delinquents

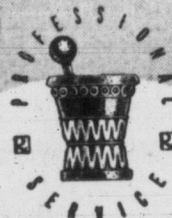
The provincial cabinet has asked the advisory committee on Indian affairs to look into the matter of apparent high delinquency among Indian girls. Labor Minister Lyle Wicks, whose department is responsible for Indian affairs, is becoming concerned over the situation.

Lebanon Lists Peace Formula With Israel

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—Lebanon has told Israel that she must stop flooding her land with European refugees and give 850,000 Palestine Arabs back their homes if she wants peace with her Arab neighbors. Lebanese delegate Charles Malik listed 10 conditions as the Arab price for peace in the Middle East at Friday night's session of the United Nations Security Council. He also declared that previous UN decisions, such as the internationalization of Jerusalem, must be carried out and the Palestine armistice agreements observed to the letter.

4 DAYS LEFT TO ENTER
Victoria Jaycees' CHRISTMAS LIGHT-UP CONTEST
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Skipper of Hard-Working Destroyer Gets New Post With Captain's Rings

There's a "new look" coming for HMCS Athabaskan, RCN destroyer with the longest record of Korean service of any Canadian ship.

She returned to Victoria Friday after her third tour of duty, and in February will be de-commissioned for complete refit and rearmament.

Athabaskan will get the same type of aluminum, four-legged mast installed in HMCS Cayuga early this year. She'll also have twin quick-firing three-inch guns, and a maze of modern electrical gear.

She is the only Canadian destroyer to complete three tours of duty in Korean waters, and was one of the first three sent out on the request of the United Nations at the outbreak of the Korean conflict.

Six Clemency Letters for Kidnappers

WASHINGTON (AP)—With the execution dates of Carl Austin Hall and Mrs. Bonnie Brown Heady less than a week away, just six communications asking clemency for them have been received by the federal justice department.

Department officials supplied the information today, in response to an inquiry, and observed that such a small volume of messages from the public is unusual in a case which has had national publicity. Frequently, they said, hundreds of communications, pro and con, are received in connection with a pending execution, and sometimes there are thousands.

These sources emphasized that no clemency action is under consideration, in the absence of a formal application for clemency by the couple doomed to die in the gas chamber Dec. 18 for the kidnap-slaying of Bobby Greenleaf.

The department declined to identify the six persons who sent in messages. One asked clemency for Mrs. Heady only and another simply suggested that the executions be put off until after Christmas.

STILL CROWDED

Most densely populated county in Europe, Belgium has 710 persons to the square mile.

SOUVENIR OF BATTLE

A Russian-type "burb" gun captured in the raid was presented to Athabaskan by the commanding officer of the Korean unit.

Commanding Officer of the ship, Cmdr. J. C. Reed, Victoria and Toronto, will receive his captain's rings and a new posting in February. He goes to Norfolk, Virginia, as assistant director of sea and air lines of communication, on the staff of the supreme commander, Atlantic, for NATO.

While the ship's company was in the Far East, welcome news of service pay increases was received. "It was good, and good and due," Cmdr. Reed commented. "I believe, the effect will be valuable on the re-enlistment rate."

Except for a stand-by crew, all Athabaskan officers and men will be on leave over the Christmas season. Most of the crew, who have been away from home port for nearly 14 months, will get 63 days leave. Those with homes on the Prairies and in Eastern Canada will leave by train from Vancouver Tuesday night.

The traditional ship's company homecoming dance will be held in Crystal Garden Monday—the final get-together for men who have sailed together over 67,928 miles.

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FOUR ISLANDERS AMONG TROOPS BACK FROM EAST

Three Victoria area soldiers and one from Up-Island will be among 400 25th Canadian Brigade troops docking in Seattle from the Far East on Monday.

All having completed at least a year of service in the Far Eastern zone, they are G. B. LeBrun, 2894 Phyllis, RCSC; Pte. I. H. Simpson, 1303 Yates, RCAMC; Pte. S. E. Galt, Royal Oak P.O., and Cpl. G. R. Hein, RCASC, Courtenay.

B.C. men in the contingent will be taken to Vancouver's Jericho Beach by bus. Island soldiers are expected to catch the Monday midnight boat for Victoria.

Murder Case Testimony Admitted

NANAIMO (CP)—A wife's screamed indictment against her husband was admitted as evidence here yesterday in the trial of Cecil Sampson, charged with the murder of Chew Deb. Duncan, Chinese slain three years ago.

The statement: "I didn't tell the cop about the Chinaman you killed in Canada," was the subject of the second trial-within-a-trial in two days. Sampson and his wife, Edna, were arrested in California.

WIFE CHARGED

Mrs. Sampson also is charged with murder in the case and will be tried later. Patrolman J. F. O'Connell, of Santa Clara county, Calif., told the court he was called to the couple's trailer in the United States city to halt an argument between the two last July.

FINE WATERWAYS

The lake and canal systems of Finland provide 3,000 miles of navigable waterways.

Airwoman Burton Refuses Details on Disappearance

VANCOUVER (CP)—"It's not a story, it's just my life..."

That was Isobel Burton's answer Friday to questions about where she spent the 19 months she was absent without leave from the RCAF.

The 28-year-old former airwoman vanished April 15, 1952, from the RCAF station at Aylmer, Ont. A widespread search followed.

She was posted as a deserter and not seen again until she flew to Victoria November 24 from California, where she had been hiding "for personal reasons."

Brought to Vancouver, she appeared before Wing Cmdr. D. C. F. Macdonald, officer commanding Sea Island station. He fined her \$40 and confined her to barracks for 21 days, to be followed by a discharge.

She was released Friday, two weeks before her sentence

was up, "on grounds of compassion."

At her parents' home later, she refused to discuss her disappearance.

"My life is my own and I'm going to keep it private always," she told reporters.

"The air force has told too much already and I'm not saying anything about my past or future."

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The People's Land

IN A RECENT SPEECH TO VICTORIA doctors, Mr. Roderick Haig-Brown, the distinguished Canadian conservationist and author, pointed to an obvious fact, generally ignored. It is that British Columbia now has its last chance to protect the out-of-doors and the wild places for its children. In another ten years or so that chance will be gone. Civilization and its industry, much more rapidly than we realize, is fencing in the wilderness. Soon, if we fail to do something about it, British Columbia will be like Europe where, in most places, no man now is able to roam the wilderness without the permission of some government or some private owner.

Clearly in the new industrial age all of our available farm land—scanty enough at best—will be fenced to produce essential crops. Most of our forest land will be managed, and trespassers will be barred from it to protect the larger crop of trees. But there is still the chance to keep plenty of virgin wilderness open to the public forever by the creation of parks.

They must be created without much delay or, not long hence, we shall find ourselves in the position of American states like New York, which are spending hundreds of millions of dollars to purchase parcels of the wilderness from private owners. At the moment the public, through the Provincial Government, owns vast stretches of wild land and can easily set suitable areas aside for perpetual public use. Once alienated, they will be costly to buy back.

As Mr. Haig-Brown says, there have never been in any of our provincial governments, and are not now even the beginnings of a park policy. There is a full appreciation of the tourist industry and the beginnings of a timber conservation policy, but they are completely different matters. Parks should be designed only incidentally to attract tourists. Their real purpose is to keep the Canadian people close to the out-of-doors, to

provide a relief from the tensions of modern urban life. They are an investment in the physical and spiritual health of the nation, a medicine which no doctor can provide.

Up to now the few parks we have established in British Columbia have remained constantly at the mercy of invasion and destruction, as if they were unimportant. Of this neglect the tragedy of Tweedsmuir Park, our largest, is the vivid and shocking example.

Looking back, it is quite clear that the Provincial Government of that time failed miserably in protecting Tweedsmuir from desolation. It is true that no government could refuse to allow the damming of the Nechako River system and the raising of the Tweedsmuir lakes for a valuable aluminium industry, but surely it was unnecessary to leave the lake margins unlogged, millions of trees slowly drowning as the waters rise and the whole shoreline a cemetery of hideous skeletons for the next generation at least. That is the sort of costly stupidity which a real park policy would avoid.

Here on Vancouver Island we have only one park of any size, and Strathcona is menaced by power development. More power undoubtedly is needed and soon may be needed badly on an island seriously lacking in suitable rivers. But the Government will have to prove beyond doubt, which it has never done yet, that there is no other way to produce power, by the damming of other lakes in the same river system, before it will be justified in invading Strathcona. The same is true of the relatively few parks on the mainland.

Apart from the protection of existing parks, small as they are, we need more park areas for a population which will be numbered in millions before many years have passed. We must prepare now for an entirely new situation, for a revolution in our economy and our life. We should establish a real park policy before it is too late.

Something of a Reflection

IT IS THE OPINION OF A DAILY Mirror (London) writer that Britons are hard to find in Canada because "they turn into Canadians that easily".

His remarks on this country are generally complimentary, but he offers a warning to prospective immigrants in the words:

"It is not that Canadians are cultural barbarians, as the snobbish might infer. There is probably as much, or more 'culture' in the shape of orchestras, symphonies, ballet companies, libraries, and art galleries in the great cities as there is in most of provincial Britain, if not in London itself. The lack—and many Canadians recognize it—is rather in the simpler graces of everyday living we know on our side of the Atlantic—the friendly policeman,

the humorous bus conductor, the local pub, the 'characters'. This (Canada) is a land of busy, busy people all, at first glance, seeming very much wrapped up in themselves, pursuing the dollar as if it alone was the key to happiness."

Canadians may resent the indictment implied in the latter part of that paragraph. It may be unfair to suggest we are too preoccupied with the quest of the dollar. It is, nevertheless, an impression taken by a British writer who did not conscientiously set out to find fault with Canadians.

If that is the way we appear to the Daily Mirror, we might benefit from peering a little more searchingly into our own looking glasses and profiting by what we see.

Aground on High Costs

IN THEIR APPLICATION TO Transport Minister Chevrier for permission to sell their ships, members of the Canadian Shipowners' Association have underscored a major problem in international competition.

They state that high operating costs—particularly wages and living conditions for crews—do not enable Canadian flag ships to compete with those from other countries.

Since they have failed, in efforts to secure a subsidy of \$5,000,000 a

year, the operators want freedom to dispose of their vessels.

The owners consider their costs the determining factor in pricing Canadian shipping out of the international market.

Provided the vessels are sold or placed under different registry, it will be for the seamen to determine whether they are better off seeking employment under other flags than they would have been if Canadian shipping survived by lowering its costs of operation.

Desperate Battle in the Ocean Depths Sets Scene for the Struggle to Survive

BY DR. G. CLIFFORD CARL, Director, Provincial Museum

EXCEPT for the slow pulsing movements of respiration the octopus remained motionless and inconspicuous among the boulders, on the bottom of the cove. The perch and small rockfish which had scattered when the octopus had first appeared now returned to their former locations and resumed their search for food.

The three grilse began to move along the shore line toward the open bay picking up crab larvae or swimming amphipods as they came across them in the incoming current.

Travelling with the tide a grey shape swept into the cove and rose to the surface above the young salmon. Here the seal rested for a short time, holding its position by occasional sculling motions of the side flippers or a slight up and down movement of the hind limbs and trunk.

Only its mottled body and appendages were visible hanging beneath the waveling ceiling. With a fresh supply of air in its lungs the mammal pulled its head beneath the surface then swam along the rock face with graceful undulations of the body, turning its head slowly from

side to side in search of rockfish or flounder.

About the time that the seal reached the end of the cove the octopus had completed its meal of the crab and had moved on a short distance to probe under some boulders in search of more food.

As it flowed over the uneven bottom the shadowy movement caught the attention of the seal which was still some distance above. With a few vigorous strokes of its hind flippers the seal changed its direction slightly and dived toward the octopus.

Alarmed by the sudden appearance of the seal the mollusc shot backwards, forcing the water from the mantle cavity out through the tube-like siphon. This convulsive action propelled the bulbous body through the water with great speed and with the tentacles trailing behind, but only for a relatively short distance. Before it could dash off again or ooze under a boulder the seal seized it and tried to jerk it clear of the bottom.

The octopus clung to the boulders with all available suckers while waves of reddish-brown swept over its body and its skin became pebbly with fright. The ink-sac discharged its sepia obscuring the water in the vicinity of the struggle with a dark cloud, numbing to fish but ineffective against the air-breathing seal.

The seal renewed its grip on the rubbery body of its victim, then falling

As Our Readers See It

NO CARDS

It has been brought to my attention that the chief of the hospitalization department has issued an order that no Christmas cards or decorations of any kind be put up in the offices during the Christmas season as has been done hitherto.

Can this be the fruit of the voters listening to the sanctimonious promises of Christian (?) government by the Social Credit uplifters and the pious persons who support them.

What a world. It is to make us laugh said the Frenchman.

From MISSOURI.

SCHOOL COSTS

It should not be expected that land and homes can take a still larger share of school taxes. In the cases of thousands of good citizens it is not that they do not want to do the right thing by our children, but so many have reached the end of the road in their ability to pay.

Thousands of family folk have paid well in the past to educate their children and now, in the evening of their lives, they are called upon to still pay, in spite of the terribly high cost of living, low fixed incomes, even greater charges or loss of their homes.

The present situation has reached extremely serious proportions and unless a different and better approach is found, all or nearly all of these people will have to sell their homes and live as many others are having to do, in one room, or separate and apply for admittance to institutions, or, if they may be lucky enough to rent one of the Kiwanis cottages.

R. B. ANDERSON.

Box 862, Victoria.

TIE TO HAPPINESS

Here's an idea that will, I believe, appeal to mothers, wives and sisters, and the newspapers—if they see fit to print this letter—will not have their advertisers "on their neck" because the stores will not lose out by it.

Give your men folk, right now, to sort out their worn neckties, from them, and if possible, Christmas-wrap, then hand them over to the Central City Mission, the Salvation Army or any other deserving organization that will distribute them to advantage.

You all know what a new tie does for the ego of your man. It will do even more for those on Skid Road and need only cost you a little time and effort.

D. ASHDOWN.

THROUGH WHAT WILD CENTURIES?

In his comment on my letter which appeared in your issue of Dec. 7, Mr. Robinson informs us that contradictions which appear so frequently in the Bible are no cause of conflict. And he reiterates his former assertion that creation was a matter of just six days as recorded in Gen. I. He then adds the claim that Gen. II which he says, "Gives a description of the newly created earth." But I would point out that where later he mentions the announcement of the Pope to the effect the universe is five billion years old, he avers the age of the "universe" is a far different matter to the age of the earth.

He forgets the Bible says the earth is older than the rest of the universe. It clearly says the earth was created several "evenings and mornings" before the sun or the "lesser light" or the stars were made. This did not take place until the third of those six days of creation. And if we are to go by the Bible the "stars" were merely incidental, since "God made them also" at least three days after the earth was made. If we are to accept the Bible we must accept it as is, and not try to have it agree with intelligent knowledge.

And about the coal and oil which Mr. Robinson says are due to the biblical flood. There were less than a thousand years between the supposed creation and the biblical flood, and nature requires many such periods to produce the forest growth necessary to the accumulating of a seam of coal seven or eight feet thick. And when we remember there are in Nova Scotia 72 coal seams of varying thickness, and 44 in Ohio, and we do not know how many in Greenland under that mile of ice, and when we try to estimate the thousands of millions of years nature required to grow these 72 different forests in just Nova Scotia, the idea of that one flood with less than 1,000 years' growth altogether creating so many seams at such different levels—where even the formation indicates slow, gradual processes—is asking a little too much.

L. J. PEPPER.

4010 Grange Road.

Winter Warning



Pinelawn Area

Bill Hallett

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

The Pot-Bellied Stove

AN aged reader, who watched handsome new schools rising on all sides in Canada, asks me to tell the public about the barbarous old days of the little red school house and "the pot-bellied stove".



Hutchison

The invitation is too flattering, I am not quite that old; I was only a small boy at the time of the Revolution of 1837 and the pot belly has been transferred elsewhere.

NEVERTHELESS, men still able to stagger about in a sort of way on the surface of the earth can remember when the little red school house still provided most of Canada's education, if it could be called that (though the school houses were seldom red and usually bare of any paint).

The educated child of today can hardly imagine how his father was trained for life.

The first school I remember, in a little nameless cattle town of the West, contained a pot-bellied stove and a teacher built on the same model, both physically and mentally. His name was Julius Brown and he never ceased to chew tobacco, using the stove as a convenient cuspidor, with an unflinching aim, except when he was angry, which was most of the time.

MR. Brown was violently opposed to the use of tobacco by anyone but himself, and punished a boy named Mackenzie when he introduced that vice among the other pupils. Punishment in those days, before child psychology had been discovered, was of two sorts.

If any pupil failed Mr. Brown's continual tests in mental arithmetic he was required to hold out his hands, which were hammered, on the bare knuckles, where it would hurt most, by the sharu

brass edge of a ruler, an exquisite torture. It made certain, of course, that nobody ever learned any arithmetic. One couldn't add two figures together under the mental stress of that brass-edged ruler.

FOR such high crimes as chewing tobacco Mr. Brown reserved a more formidable sanction. He took off his coat, rolled up his sleeves and beat the offender just this side of insensibility. As he was an amateur boxer of talent he usually won with a quick knockout in the first round.

Mackenzie, the tobacco chewer, however, was a boy of great physical powers, he was half Indian, untamed, and muscled by apprenticeship in his father's blacksmith shop. So when Mr. Brown, vigorously chewing his own tobacco, assaulted young Mackenzie for doing the same, the result remained in doubt for some minutes, but it was fun while it lasted. I never needed, to see a world championship bout after that. I had seen the best that pugilism could provide.

MACKENZIE walked out of the school, never to return, leaving Mr. Brown prostrate on the floor, smeared with blood and tobacco. After a while he arose and uttered what I thought a classic instruction, "And now," said he, "let that be a lesson for all of you."

It was, henceforth Mr. Brown alone chewed tobacco and Mackenzie became a rich blacksmith and then a garage owner and then mayor, while the teacher was paid \$75 a month. That certainly impressed us all with the value of education.

Before the modern experts had confined it to its present narrow limits education was imaginative, far-ranging and inspirational. Apart from mental arithmetic with a brass-edged ruler Mr. Brown seldom wasted his talents on sterile facts. Most of his time was spent in proving to us that world was flat, that Cope-

nicus, Galileo, Columbus and the others were fools whom he held responsible for the human tragedy.

I FORGET how he proved it, but his case was unanswerable. We all went out into the world believing it was flat, and many years of propaganda on the other side were required to break our early faith. I still have some private doubts about it but lack the courage to stand by my original principles without Mr. Brown's support. If he could only appear again in the world he would certainly prove its flatness. It's flat all right. Just take a look at it these days. It's growing flatter all the time.

Besides being more imaginative and less restricted, education was then more practical also. Since we played hockey a good part of the time, we learned, as you might say, in the great school of life itself.

WE learned, for example, how to water, curricomb and ride horses at the livery stable where Tex, the old rascal in charge, was generally incapacitated with brandy and memories, and either asleep in the hay or lecturing to a group of cowhands on his boyhood adventures as a member of the Jesse James gang. Though he confessed many train robberies, killings and abductions, he was never prosecuted, but was considered a historic monument, to be carefully preserved, as he was indeed, in alcohol.

He therefore charged us nothing for the privilege of looking after the horses and cleaning out the barn. That is what I call practical education. We also learned how to brand horses, feed pigs and milk cows and thus emerged into the world as well-rounded characters, without a single psychic scar, repression or twist in the lot of us. But of course we knew nothing of what is now called education, and thus lived happily forever afterwards on a world obviously flat.

SENATOR MCCARTHY CHOSE A WIDE FIELD

A Party Struggle That Involves the World

AT LEAST one news report from the recent Bermuda conference claimed inside information in revealing that Sir Winston Churchill agreed only with reluctance to the immediate return of President Eisenhower to New York with his major declaration on atomic policy.

The suggestion was that the ageing British leader, who had been instrumental in arranging the Big Three parley and who still has hopes of a Big Four meeting that may point the way to a world peace settlement, was loath to see his Bermuda rendezvous become merely a preliminary to Mr. Eisenhower's U.N. address.

The U.S. President's appearance before the United Nations Assembly, fresh from the island conference, quickly relegated Bermuda to the inside news pages, made it history almost before it had been concluded.

All this Churchill clearly saw. Yet his friendship for Eisenhower, his genuine desire to do anything that would aid world peace, and no doubt, his recognition of the United States domestic political situation, moved him to agree. Eisenhower flew direct to the U.N. meeting with his amended speech, paused only to spend a quiet moment in the U.N. chapel, and delivered to the world his plan for the peaceful harnessing of atomic power for man's benefit rather than his destruction.

Important Speech

The speech was important to the world. It was also important to President Eisenhower, for it came in the midst of a serious political crisis in the Washington capital. It re-emphasized the U.S. President as the leader of a nation which is the leader of the free world, it helped to restore his prestige which had dwindled in the throes of the party battle that has raged about the White House; it brought a new light of international brilliance to bear on the man who was becoming obscured in the fogs and shadows of national domestic strife. It may well have marked a turning point in Eisenhower's career.

The free world has been reassured by the atomic speech—the affirmation of peaceful intent, the fair offer to do something about it. It was reassurance that was needed, for the Washington spectacle of late has been a sorry one for allies of the United States to view.

Those allies have been a nation made anxious and jittery by internal dissension,

by fear of Communist espionage, above all by the campaign of fear, guilt by accusation, character defamation and star chamber methods that has been imposed and spurred by Senator Joseph McCarthy and his confederates.

They have seen a Republican administration, beset by ambitious and unscrupulous rivals within its own party, start to belabor its Democratic predecessor for harboring Communists, and thereby become immersed in unproductive squabbles which divert public attention from the high destiny of the United States as leader of the free world.

Justice Obscured

What justice and necessity there had originally been in the search for espionage agents within the Government service had been obscured by the rise of an equally rank growth.

Word of "McCarthyism" spread far beyond the bounds of the United States. The western European, hearing of it, reading of its effects, began to question the stature of the nation which was supposedly leading the democracies.

He saw in McCarthyism the elements of things he had come to hate under Nazism, Fascism, Communism. He saw President Eisenhower seemingly bearing these afflictions with patience, even acceptance. Knowing little of the American system, he inevitably came to associate McCarthyism with official U.S. policy.

It was only in recent days that the President spoke out directly. He told a large gathering under B'Nai B'rith auspices, that America must still stand for its pioneer principles; that a man had the right to face his accusers, that his freedom to think and say what he thought was an inherent right. The remarks were aimed directly at Senator McCarthy, although his name was not mentioned. More was to come.

New Challenge

McCarthy apparently was stung to further efforts. He ventured beyond the field of domestic spy-hunting—and thereby made a serious mistake. For the Senator from Wisconsin undertook to challenge the Government directly on its foreign policy—a far different matter. The big guns were quick to reply.

On December 1, Foreign Secretary Dulles lashed at the Senator's accusations that Washington wrote "perfumed letters" to its allies instead of forcing them to accept American policy. Such criticism, said Dulles, "attacks the very heart of

U.S. foreign policy." America's allies were friends, said the Secretary, not "satellites." Threats and intimidation had no place in dealings with them.

The Dulles reply had been approved by Eisenhower without the alteration of a line. The President followed it within hours with his own denunciation of McCarthy's charges. The Senator had, perhaps unwittingly, chosen a battle field on which the Administration could fight him without fear of being accused of demeaning itself in a minor squabble. The President reaffirmed the policy of U.S. aid to its allies and the principle of "unity among free nations" as the "only hope for survival in the face of the worldwide Soviet conspiracy."

"This most powerful of the free nations," said Eisenhower, "must not permit itself to grow weary of the processes of negotiation and adjustment that are fundamental to freedom. If it should turn impatiently to coercion of other free nations, our brand of coercion... would be a mark of the imperialist rather than of the leader."

New Challenge

That was plain language. It would be understood by the European, watching with apprehension the goings on across the Atlantic. It could be understood by Senator McCarthy. It could be understood by the American citizen, if he had not been blinded by prejudice and xenophobia and swept into McCarthy's camp. But the die was now cast. The U.S. political struggle was more than a domestic quarrel; it had taken on international implications.

McCarthy had emerged as more than a mere witch-hunter. He had become the rallying point of the isolationists, under a different guise. To him now would look the mid-west anti-foreigners, the British-hating followers of Col. McCormick, all the successors of the Americans who had kept the United States out of the League of Nations, who had encouraged two German aggressors in two generations to take a chance on the United States' proclivity to wrap itself in its mantle and ignore the world.

Opposing him was Eisenhower, who led the European armies to victory, who clearly sees the dangers to freedom today, who recognizes peaceful co-operation as the answer to the global problem.

The Washington struggle had become a miniature of the world problem. The peoples of the free world might well watch it with concern.—B. A. T.

Names Make News...

THE hottest rumor along newspaper row is that the Socreds are busting to buy the Vancouver News-Herald. Its owner is Roy Thomson of Toronto, who recently bought the venerable Scotsman, at Edinburgh. This much is known: Ray Barford, his Vancouver partner and publisher, will go to Scotland to run new property. Thomson is said to be a little disenchanted by the cost of producing a newspaper on the Pacific Coast. If the Socreds did buy (and it would be a million-dollar deal) they could be expected to call on two journalists who are out-and-out believers in the cause: Bill Rose of Vancouver and Bob Bowman of Saint John, N.B. Present editor of the paper is Ken Drury of this city, who once held down a similar desk on The Times. (Not a Socred newspaper.)

When Eddie Carlson of Seattle was here for the Innkeepers' convention this week, the thing that puzzled him most about Canadian hotels was this: why are electric-shaving outlets in the bedrooms, rather than the bathroom, where a man can look in a mirror and see what he's doing? It's a Canadian law (no electrical gadgets near water), which is due for change in 1954 under the construction act. Ex-Alderman Emerson Neely and his wife left yesterday for Palm Springs; she finds the hot desert air just the thing for her asthma. . . . Boss Johnson was 63 Thursday. . . . Ambassador Bob Mayhew, a kindly fellow, accompanied his Christmas card to this department with some warm words for the job recently done in Japan by our Miss Bessie Forbes. . . . Tories (and others) will love Margaret Aitken's new book "Hey, Ma, I Did It!" which details her in-again-out-again-in-again Federal victory in Toronto.

Greater-love-hath-no-man Dep't.: a Yates

Street tailor was asked about a handsome morning coat hanging in his shop. Turned out that Premier Bennett found it a little tight, was having it cut down for his executive assistant. (And all the while we thought the Premier had been cut down to size!) . . . Fred Usher and his hometowners are reconsidering a Korean junket. The government has set up a new deal for artists entertaining the troops, with salaries at a minimum of \$125 a week. . . . Ernie Heybroek's fine slides of his five-months' European tour greatly enhanced by his droll commentary. . . . John Payne, vice-president of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers, is a city visitor. Says it cost them \$465,000 to operate this past season! . . . Garnett Weston, the Sooke fictioneer, has two new books going, simultaneously. . . . Totem Theatre will host Times carriers for a special performance of "Charley's Aunt" Dec. 28. . . . Wally Brynjolfson, principal of Monterey School, told his moppets Friday he could not keep them after school if they were bad. He had to go to town to buy a birthday present for his mother, aged 87.

A Packard and a Ford were in a minor collision downtown Friday. Out of the first car stepped His Worship, Claude L. Harrison; out of the second, defeated candidate Waldo Skilling. . . . Bill Fellows, a talented young British cartoonist, has settled in Victoria. . . . The Colonist birthday party was an elegant success. At 95, it is older than the combined ages of its publisher, managing editor, and youngest reporter. . . . Dave Armstrong back from Honolulu, where the hula-hula girls gave him some lessons in crop rotation. . . . A certain Victoria newspaperman got a rare break in paying off election bets. The winners instructed him to put the cash into the Korean Orphans' Fund.

Gee. There goes my yacht ride with Claude Harrison!

By DR. WALTER C. ALVAREZ

Heredity and Obesity

Dr. Alvarez is Emeritus Consultant in Medicine, Mayo Clinic and Emeritus Professor of Medicine, Mayo Foundation.

In a recent encyclopedic article, Gene Mayer, of Harvard, discussed the inheritance of obesity. Interestingly, when one studies identical twins, developed from one ovum, one finds that their weights and their heights are practically always about the same. The average difference in weight of two identical twins is 4.1 lbs. Only one in 50 such pairs will differ in weight by more than 12 lbs. When one studies ordinary brothers or sisters one finds the average difference in weight is 10.4 lbs.

The average difference in weight between identical twins, reared and living in the same environment, is only 1.39 per cent. The same figure for identical twins reared and living in a dissimilar environment is 3.6 per cent. This shows that environmental factors play some role; but it is a minor one compared with the genetic factor.

In Vienna, my old friend, Dr. Julius Bauer, found while studying 1,000 obese patients, that in 73 per cent the person had one or both parents obese. Rony found the same percentage for American stout persons. Angel found that if a fat person marries a person of average weight, half of their children will be fat, but if a fat man marries a fat woman two-thirds of their children will be overweight; if two persons of normal weight marry, only 9 per cent of their children will be overweight.

All this of course does not mean that people with a marked tendency to overweight cannot keep themselves normal by dieting, but usually the dieting has to be kept up every day throughout life, and it isn't easy because a person born to be stout has a tremendous tendency to gain weight and to look like his fat ancestors.

TOOTHBRUSH IS BEST

At a recent meeting of the American Dental Association six prominent teachers in dental schools discussed the problems of trying to keep teeth from developing cavities. The authorities were not enthusiastic about any particular dentifrice or paste, and they did not feel satisfied that any of them will

materially decrease tooth decay. The dentists felt that about the only value of dentifrices is to help in cleaning the teeth. They were not convinced that any of the chemicals that are now added to dentifrices with the idea of killing bacteria are really doing a good job. Many mothers these days wish they could get gamma globulin for their children when they have been exposed to measles and mumps but the evidence now available indicates that in the cases of these diseases the ordinary gamma globulin obtained from pooled blood is of little, if any, value.

HANDBOOK OF ONE-HANDERS
I have just been reading a booklet that can be of great help to anyone who has recently lost a hand or an arm. It gives so many hints for helping the person to adjust to his handicapped way of living. It tells him how to dress himself, eat at table, etc. It is published by the Federation of the Handicapped, Inc., 241 West 23rd Street, New York, 11, New York.

PLANT AND ANIMAL DISEASES
As I wrote a while ago, more than once I have been scolded by faith healers who have told me that if we human beings would only quit worrying about diseases we would not get them. I never had much faith in this because I happen to know that all animals get diseases just as we human beings do. Most animals, especially in the tropics, are swarming inside with parasites, some of which cause terrible suffering. Diseases of animals and birds cost the American raisers of cattle, sheep, hogs, chickens and turkeys billions of dollars a year. Even the soil in some places becomes so diseased and full of little worms that it is unfruitful.

Now I read that Mr. Ezra Taft Benson, secretary of agriculture, has stated that an army of fungi, viruses, bacteria, little worms, and other disease agents, each year cause damage to our crops which costs us some three billions of dollars.

Very interesting to me are some remarkable pictures recently obtained by scientists using the extremely powerful electron microscope. These pictures show a swarm of tiny viruses attacking and destroying a bacterium. I wouldn't be surprised some day to learn that the ultra-microscopic viruses are preyed upon by still tinier viruses. There seems to be no end to this finding that "little fleas have lesser fleas to bite 'em, and so on ad infinitum."

Island Digest

SOOKE—Tenders for Milnes Landing High School construction showed close figuring by contractors.

Bids were: Farmer Construction, \$135,496; McKinty & Sons, \$135,735; S. E. Weismiller & Sons, \$140,144; J. A. Pollard, \$140,897; Commonwealth Construction, \$147,811.

DUNCAN—Provincial public works crews have erected a stop-and-go signal at the junction of the Trans-Canada Highway and Trunk Road, main arterial leading from the highway to the Duncan business section.

Installation of the light has been an objective of the Chamber of Commerce and Junior Chamber of Commerce for 18 months.

DUNCAN—Lieut. Alexander E. Fox, 28, of Duncan, who entered the RCN as a cadet in 1942 and transferred to the fleet air arm in 1948, will become the first navy pilot to teach students how to fly jet aircraft.

It has been announced in Ottawa that Lieut. Fox will report to the RCAF station at Portage la Prairie, Man., Dec. 18, where

he will teach navy and air force pilots.

NANAIMO—The fund being raised here to provide Christmas hampers for less fortunate residents of the district has received only \$200.

Objective is \$2,000. In Ladysmith, \$700 has been contributed to a similar fund of \$1,100. The city gave \$100.

PORT ALBERNI—Department of public works will call for tenders this month on construction of a bridge over Sprout River, on the Great Central Road, that will provide an underpass for a logging road.

MacMillan and Bloedel Ltd. will contribute toward the cost of the bridge.

COURTENAY—City council was "staggered" at an architect's preliminary estimate of \$130,000 as cost of building a civic centre in Lewis Park.

"Slightly fantastic," aldermen said.

Ald. Sid Williams, who has charge of the proposal, said it would be discussed with various local organizations early in the new year.

What's Your Opinion?

By DAVE STOCK and IRVING STRICKLAND

Should you give something to the paper boy, postman, milkman, baker, etc., at Christmas, and if so, what?

Dave Duncan, serviceman, Shell Oil Station, 305 Uganda—

"I think you should give something, although not in extravagance, especially to the paper boy. He delivers the paper in all kinds of weather and is often forced to travel in drenching rain. I usually give a small amount of money."

Victor Christian, accountant, Angus Marine, 2220 Douglas—

"I think you should give something at Christmas time. I always do. It seems to be the general practice with a lot of room for argument, both for and against. I would give the present in the form of money."

Al Pearce, president Green's ANR, 2204 Douglas—"I think you should always give some-

thing to the paper boy, but not to the postman, milkman, baker, etc. The paper boys are young and are usually trying to make money to buy something the family can't supply, while the others are making a living by their jobs. The paper boys are generally cheerful and are subjected to all types of weather.

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PRAIRIE ROUND-UP

Church Leader, Infant Killed In Alberta Traffic Accident

EDMONTON (CP)—Very Rev. Theodosius Dobko of Edmonton, provincial superior of the Greek Catholic Church, and a four-month-old girl were killed Friday in a head-on collision near Lacombe, Alta., it was reported here.

Monsignor Dobko was in a north-bound car driven by Walter Batycki when it collided with a car carrying Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Dobing of Calgary, a five-year-old daughter and the infant girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Dobing, the five-year-old girl and Mr. Batycki were injured and were taken to hospital at Lacombe. Extent of their injuries were not known. The Dobing family was travelling south. An inquest will be held today. Lacombe is about 70 miles south of Edmonton.

TO MAKE POLIO RESEARCH
EDMONTON (BUP)—Alberta will establish a special polio research committee to study methods of combatting a possible recurrence of this year's 99-death epidemic.

Health Minister Dr. W. W. Cross said a conference of medical health officers would set up the committee here on Monday.

"The committee will investigate the whole problem of polio epidemics," he said, "and Saskatchewan, Manitoba and the Yukon will be invited later to take part in a common effort to check the disease."

The health minister said the body would be asked to turn in a report by next May or June on what steps should be taken in such matters as quarantines and school closures.

BUILDING RECORD
WINNIPEG (BUP)—Civic officials said today Winnipeg has had the biggest building year in its history, with 1953 construction topping \$21,698,000. It topped a 41-year record by more than \$1,000,000, the previous high mark being set in 1912. The officials added that it

was expected another \$2,000,000 of construction would be undertaken before the end of this year.

CRASH-LANDS JET
WARREN, Man. (BUP)—The RCAF today salvaged a jet T-33 training plane after it crashed landed in a field near here going at 200 miles an hour.

Student pilot officer R. W. Cherwick stepped unhurt out of the cockpit after bringing the sleek silver star plane down on a summerfallow field, barely missing a fence and some trees. Cherwick said he thought he had run out of fuel because the exhaust flame from his twin jet engines suddenly went out four miles from the field. But the aircraft still had 600 gallons of jet fuel.

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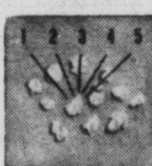
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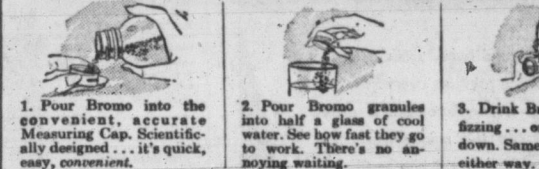
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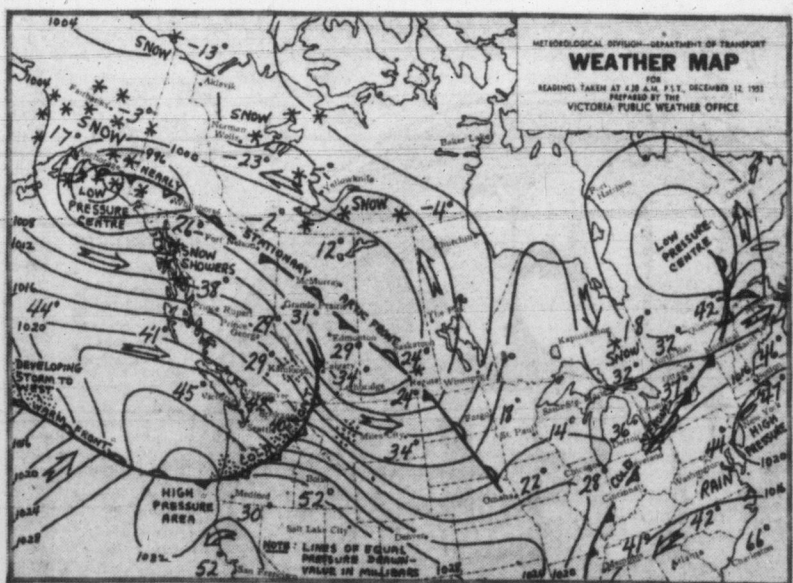


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Week-End Weather Picture Across Canada

VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE RECORD TO DATE, 1953-1914.4 HOURS
SYNOPSIS—The weather over B.C. today showed a marked improvement after Friday's storm. Another storm is developing over the Pacific and is expected to bring strong southerly winds and rain to the north coast tonight and to the south coast Sunday. Cloudy skies and some snow is expected over the interior Sunday.

PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE

9 A.M. FORECASTS

Forecast valid until midnight Sunday.

VICTORIA—Cloudy tonight. Cloudy with showers Sunday. Little change in temperature. Winds light tonight, south-east 15 Sunday. Low-high Sunday, 38 and 48.

WEST COAST—Rain Sunday. Winds southerly 20 tonight, becoming southerly 25 Sunday morning. Low-high Sunday at Vancouver, 35 and 45.

GEORGIA STRAIT—Cloudy tonight. Rain Sunday. Little change in temperature. Winds southerly 15 tonight, becoming southerly 20 by morning. Low-high Sunday at Nanaimo, 32 and 45.

YANCOUVER—Cloudy tonight. Sunday Little change in temperature. Winds light tonight, southeast 15 Sun. San Francisco 35 and 45.

LOS ANGELES—Low-high Sunday at Vancouver, 35 and 45.

TEMPERATURES

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Montreal 27 42 .

Toronto 26 47 .

Winnipeg 11 30 .

Regina 11 30 .

Saskatoon 15 28 .

Edmonton 29 38 .

Calgary 29 38 .

Kimberley 25 38 .

Penticton 31 40 .

Vancouver 31 40 .

Victoria 31 40 .

Prince Rupert 35 44 .

Fort George 35 44 .

Portland 35 44 .

Seattle 35 44 .

Chicago 28 43 .

San Francisco 35 45 .

Los Angeles 45 58 .

New York 45 58 .

LEWIS ADOPTS GIRL

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—A baby girl whose normal prospect in life might have been an orphanage Friday got a millionaire for a father instead.

Comedian Jerry Lewis and his wife, Patty, said they will call her Sally May.

Details of the adoption are secret.

ON JAPANESE STATION

Navy Wife Scores Hit Telling of Experiences

MOTHER SIR! by Tats Blain, 276 pps; S. J. Reginald Saunders Ltd., Toronto; \$3.85.

Anyone who has been to Japan, particularly service personnel who have been stationed there since the war ended, will go overboard for "Mother Sir" by Tats Blain. Other readers will find it highly diverting and informative.

There is nothing to indicate whether the writer has any previous literary successes, but this story of her experiences with her husband, a commander in the USNR and her 10-year-old daughter, Deb, while stationed at Sasebo shows she has all the qualifications of authorship.

The story runs as smooth as silk and, without any lengthy descriptive effort, the writer makes her characters so real the reader seems personally acquainted with them.

RUDE AWAKENING

The rude awakening "Tats" received when she went to the Japanese station cherishing Gilbert and Sullivan willowware plate-pattern dreams to find them shattered by the drabness of service quarters could be a subject for tears. The way the author tells it is convulsing.

How her good nature led her

to be encumbered with a surplus of affectionate but not very helpful staff of servants makes hilarious reading.

Her attempts, at the request of the Japanese mayor's wife, to spread the U.S. idea of "ladies first" is equally diverting.

ON SENTIMENTAL NOTE

While the author tells her story with sparkling wit she also shows her ability to stir other emotions.

The chapter of Deb's Christmas party is outstanding in this regard.

While the few homesick U.S. officers and their wives made a dismal attempt to overcome homesickness, aided by a pitiful attempt to reproduce a rum egg nog with the unsatisfactory ingredients of whiskey and vanilla ice cream, Deb, with the Japanese servants she had coaxed for the occasion, saved the day with her "spritz."

She had invited dozens of bedraggled, hungry Japanese children and their mothers to the party and as they timidly entered the room she organized distribution of the cartons of chocolate bars, candy, chewing gum and cookies which the marines had contributed from the supply at the service store. Gallons of ice cream were added to the treat.

High ranking officers and their wives, at first inclined to regard the whole idea as "conny," were soon won over and the stern officer in command of the station appeared in a surprisingly new role as he entertained the young Japanese guests with parlor tricks while wives crowded around holding Japanese babies on their knees.

Besides being entertaining the book is informative. It is one that you will want to share with your friends.—T.M.

BEST SELLERS

(Compiled by Publisher's Weekly)

"Beyond This Place," A. J. Cronin.

"Time and Time Again," James Hilton.

"Lord Vanity," Samuel Shellabarger.

"Too Late," the Phalarope," Alan Paton.

"Desiree," Annemarie Selinko.

"The High and the Mighty," Ernest K. Gann.

NON-FICTION

"The Power of Positive Thinking," Norman Vincent Peale.

"Lelia," Andre Maurois.

"A House Is Not a Home," Polly Adler.

"The Spirit of St. Louis," Charles A. Lindbergh.

"Gone With the Winds," Ise Brody.

"Flying Saucers From Outer Space," Donald E. Keyhoe.

"A Man Called Peter," Catherine Marshall.

NAIRNE ON STAMPS

It is interesting to note how the ratio of price per stamp goes up, when comparing packets of say 1000, 10,000, and 100,000 varieties.

In the first mentioned it works out at about one-sixth of a cent each (at \$1.40 per packet).

As the second one would cost \$37.50, the value per stamp has now little more than doubled. But in the case of the Jumbo Packet the average has risen to 18 cents! Even so, one would hardly think it possible to assemble 80 many different stamps at so low a price per stamp.

What a contrast to the stamp bought recently by a man in Montreal. This was the unique color error of the three skilling-banco value of Sweden, issued in 1855. For this one item the buyer paid enough to buy the 100,000 variety packet, and still have \$18,000 left over; for the selling price was a record \$36,000!

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BOOK TALK

By JAMES SCOTT



Not done your Christmas shopping yet? My, my! Well, as a matter of fact I haven't either but who's worrying? Not me.

You see I have a system. In the first place I give books to everybody and in the second place I have worked out three categories (not including the children), which seems to simplify the whole thing.

Category No. 1 includes those books which are as safe as a book can ever be. Good books, with general appeal. But eschew evanescent best sellers which may provoke a gasp of pleasure on the morning of December 25 but a week later make the erstwhile happy recipient ask: "Whatever did he send me that for?" This season's No. 1 in this group is Thomas Raddall's TIDEFALL, not because it's a Canadian book, not because it's the best thing Tom Raddall has ever done, but because it is a powerful, whopping yarn about ships and the men who sail them which more than once reaches true literary greatness. I also include another from down East, David Walker's DIGBY because it comes so close to Compton Mackenzie's kind of good fun and I like Compton Mackenzie (remember WHISKY GALORE and THE RIVAL MONSTER?).

Best of Year Nominations

Going farther afield, but still in Canada, there is Gray Campbell's WE FOUND PEACE, a book which seeks to prove, and does, that there is still goodness in the world, and Ned Corbett's hilarious biography of his father, FATHER, GOD-BLESS HIM.

To these I have to add my nomination for the best novel of the year, Alan Paton's TOO LATE THE PHALAROPE and the most satisfying historical romance of the season, THE TUDOR ROSE, by Margaret Campbell Barnes.

For those who like a bit more substance, but treated happily, you can't beat Andre Maurois, LELIA; THE STORY OF GEORGE SAND.

Well, all those are reasonably safe for anybody who is fit to get a book for Christmas, but my second category, while not so wide, is much the simplest. Category No. 2 includes titles for those "who have read all the others," that is the chap or lass who says: "I always read her works." This year there are two books belonging to series which, between them, will cover at least half my list. They are, naturally, the last of the Churchill Memoirs, TRIUMPH AND TRAGEDY, and the latest contribution to the Jaina series, Mazo de la Roche's THE WHITEOAK BROTHERS. These are sureties.

However, if you are not too pressed for time or have somebody a bit sticky to attend to, you have to dip into Category Number Three, that's the one for people with special interests (and I don't mean gardening or power saws in the basement and the like of that).

Funniest of the Year

One I am using a lot this year is Evelyn Waugh's slim little LOVE AMONG THE RUINS. This one I am giving to all my friends who were scared silly by George Orwell's NINETEEN EIGHTY-FOUR. Besides it's the funniest book I've read this year.

In more serious vein, I am sending CANADA: A STORY OF CHALLENGE, by J. M.S. Careless, to all those on my list who are Canadian nationalists. If they are of this persuasion but with a predilection to the theatre, I am sending RENOWN AT STRATFORD, RENOWN will also do for art lovers because of Grant Macdonald's magnificent stain sketches or you can settle for Emily Carr's PAUSE, which is nice reading for everybody except those in TB sanatoria.

If you believe, as I do, that there are more people around who want to write books than will admit it, there is a just little gem of a book by cartoonist Edward Gorey called THE UNSTRUNG HARP or MR. EARRASS WRITES A NOVEL. This is certainly a literary curiosity but, slender though it is, the elegant cartoons of life in the late 1890's—"When Men of Letters Were Respected"—are the kind which you go back to again and again.

I don't know about you, but I still have several among my acquaintances who are obsessed by their psychological and, or, psychiatric dilemmas. I don't know how the doctors and the analysts feel about them, but my own prescription is give 'em a belly-flop. That's exactly what they'll get from Vicki Baum's THE MUSTARD SEED. It covers just about every kind of modern neurosis and should scare any particular one right out of any susceptible reader. Besides it is remarkably rich reading and high art.

Finally there is Robert Mirvish's A HOUSE OF HER OWN, which I don't know how to classify but which was a good reading experience for me. Maybe you better just give that one to yourself for a bonus.

Anyway, there they are. Next week, a last-minute round-up of juveniles. And if you are still stuck, try handkerchiefs.

BOOKS RECEIVED

MY HEART LIES SOUTH. By Elizabeth Yates. Coward-McCann. A novel set in the fabled hills of New Hampshire about a girl who surmounts deafness and gains a husband, whom she then reforms.

NOBODY SAYS A WORD. By Mark Van Doren. Henry Holt & Co. A new collection of short stories by the poet, critic and teacher.

THE TATTOOED SAILOR. By Andre Francois. Alfred A. Knopf. A book of cartoons, introduced by Pogo's progenitor and imported from France.

THE BIG CHARIOT. by Carmen Clift and George Johnston. British Book Service, Canada Ltd. Of China in 1844 and starving peasants' revolt against the Ming Dynasty.

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Dr. Kinsey, the sexual statistical wizard, was beaten to the publication punch by Mr. Wellman, and it is a safe bet that if "The Female" had received one-quarter the publicity accorded Dr. Kinsey's scientific volume, it would outsell the latter by a large margin.

The story has the exotic background of the sixth century Byzantium.

Mr. Wellman knows his subject — witness his dedication — "to the women in my life." The appraisal is not made slightly, but with deference.

Theodora's conversation with Tribonian on the occasion of Chione's orgiastic banquet is substantiation enough. The discussion between the two had turned to love as a topic, and Theodora's definitions and reasoning smack of the answer furnished by Dr. Kinsey's witnesses, but are much deeper and more thoughtful.

'KING OF EMOTIONS'

She defines love as the king of the emotions, and when pinned down to admit that she considers it greater than religion, sidesteps neatly by saying she knows little of religion, but the person who needs it to get through life is much to be pitied, for it is a sign of lack of intelligence or a very corrupt heart.

If Mr. Wellman's portrayal is accurate, and his exhaustive research is evident throughout the book, the modern world is making no new discoveries concerning sex in women — just reshaping what was known in Byzantium centuries ago.

How Mr. Wellman, an Oklahoman who has spent his life in western America, and whose previous writings include such studies as "The Comancheros," came to write about Constantinople and the Byzantine Empire (with such a wealth of knowledge and intimate detail, is his secret. It is sufficient that the reader is transported back in time and place until he feels he too actually participates in the events portrayed. Such is the author's magic, and you will be the poorer if you do not share in it.—Wyndham Thomas.

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By C. P. LYONS

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In the vast confusion of near limitless mountains and valleys, our much publicized road system is the mere skein of fine twisting lines following numberless rivers and lakes.

Occasionally by dint of many agonizing writhings one manages to fight its way to some low gap in the skyline and as perilously plunge down the other side.

Even though a person were to travel every road in the province it's a good bet he couldn't gaze upon 1 per cent of the total land area and that, largely valley bottom and adjacent slopes. Try a day's trip by plane or spend a summer poking the

edge of the wilderness by backwood's roads and this realization is forcibly driven home.

RUGGED AND EXTENSIVE

Mountain ranges coalesce in a sea of mountains or land of valleys so rugged and extensive that a geologist has said that no other mountains both so continuously rough and so wide exist in the world as those in the southern part of the province.

Because we live and work in narrow lowland areas along the coast or in the major valley trenches we fail to grasp how miniature are these low lying areas. It is estimated that less than 30 per cent of the province is below the 3,000 foot contour.

But how seldom a person ever reaches this comparatively low elevation. No public road on the island climbs half that high. No part of the Fraser Canyon Highway even nudges the knees of this colossal giant. The top two-thirds remains an almost unknown entity, one beyond the limits of agriculture, an "out of sight, out of mind" land.

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POLERI, FOR INSTANCE

Artistic Temperament Can Sometimes Be Rude Idiocy

By ANDREY ST.D. JOHNSON

A couple of weeks ago a singer walked off the operatic stage in Chicago leaving his fellow players to struggle as best they might through the last dying moments of Bizet's "Carmen."

The excuse—temperament, due to a disagreement on tempo with the opera's conductor. And what was the result of this "temperament" and "mental" undisciplined, this callous selfishness? Not ignominy following his rightful dismissal from the



DAVID POLERI

New York City Opera Company, but numerous offers from commercial interests jostling each other to cash in on the accompanying publicity.

However, unless David Poleri's voice and artistry rate among the rarer endowments of our time, it is likely that ignominy has been only temporarily delayed.

Except under special circumstances just mentioned, management and public are no longer constrained to accept and pander to outbursts of spoilt infantile behavior which have so long masqueraded as "artistic temperament."

FOR GLORY OF ART

This is not a debunking of all artistic temperament, which has a genuine existence in practically all artists from minor to the most great. But truly great artists use it, not as an excuse to cover poor workmanship or to bolster ego, nor as a bludgeon to get their own way under any circumstance. They use it for the greater glory of their art. They control it, for they know that only by controlling it can it become a good servant.

Hundreds of stories have circulated on the subject through

the years. With the true immortals of music they are fewest. Concerning the golden age of opera singers, spoiled darlings of an indulgent and inexperienced public, they are numerous and fearsome.

Hearing of Toscanini weeping and pleading at rehearsal when his musicians fail to produce a desired effect, one does not doubt the reality of artistic temperament.

SPOILED SELFISHNESS

On the other hand, the story of Emma Calve, famous French soprano of the early 20th century, declining to appear before a capacity Vancouver audience because she "did not feel like it," but finally being persuaded, not by thought of the bitter disappointment of hundreds of people or the unfortunate theatre manager's embarrassment, but because she had fallen in love with his collie dog and he had agreed to stand by with the dog in the wings while she sang—that story indicates a degree of spoiled selfishness, conceit and mental distortion that is little short of idiocy!

True artistic temperament is a quality of mind brought about by vision and idealism in conflict with the inevitable limitations and weaknesses imposed on all human creative activity. Frustration, rage, delight, dependency of the artist in his studio; the play, opera or symphony director in rehearsal hall; these are brought about by the irreconcilable gap between vision and reality or the occasional almost-meeting of the twain.

This is temperament and it is good, for it is a fire that forges ever finer metal. Dissatisfaction means striving and striving opens the way for growth, just as self-satisfaction means stagnancy and worse.

Public bad manners and callous indifference to welfare of others is no criterion of an artist and such so-called temperamental displays are merely the symptom of a badly swollen ego and a rather poor intellect.

Twain Kinsman Seeks Anecdotes

During his lifetime Mark Twain visited Victoria and much admired the city, says Cyril Clemens, kinsman of the great U.S. humorist.

Clemens is editor of the Mark Twain quarterly which publishes anecdotes of the famous author and lecturer. "I shall be happy to hear from all readers of The Times what school you went to or what book on color theory you read last. I have no doubt it

TWO for the SHOW
By PHIL LEE

AA (Oscar Class) BB (Worthwhile)
A (Don't Miss) C (For Rainy Days)
C (Go out to dinner)

(BB to A) "A LION IS IN THE STREETS" (Royal): Warner's adaptation of Adria Locke Langley's best seller of 1945, "A Lion Is in the Streets" is strictly a one-man show.

If you like James Cagney and his grand manner of the '30's you will be carried away by his portrayal of a backwoods peddler in a cotton-growing state who almost succeeds in gaining the state governorship through lies, treachery and general buncombe. If you don't like Cagney, however, then it is an entirely different matter.

Personally, we liked the show. Very much. But there were also some distractions. There is no denying that Mr. Cagney's personality is fascinating. He has been a favorite with this column for years through his hilarious era of kicking ladies in the derriere, his musical comedy era, such as "Footlight Parade," up to his "modern" success, "Yankee Doodle-Do." But Mr. Cagney, like most of us, is getting on. Next July 17 he will be 50 years of age. Not old, to be sure, but too old to be playing around with gals of the post-Pearl Harbor vintage, the likes of Barbara Hale and Anne Francis. Watching "A Lion Is in the Streets"

it is difficult to believe that both backwoods school marm Hale and swamp siren Francis would expire on the spot without their light of love Cagney.

This, of course, has nothing to do with Mr. Cagney's ability, acting or otherwise. But it does point an accusing finger at Warner's casting offices. Such goings-on cast a pall over the whole performance.

And another item: If we were a director we would never (or hardly ever) allow a film depicting poverty to be shot in color. Color enriches even the most humble clothing and dwellings so that they don't appear to be poor, patched or faded, thus making the whole more unbelievable than ever.

However, most of the foregoing is on the debit side of the ledger. On the credit side is a beautifully directed (by Raoul Walsh) and edited picture that rarely bogs. It is absorbing to watch demagogue Cagney, married to Miss Hale, carry on an affair with Miss Francis as he mounts the first rung of the political ladder by accusing a wealthy cotton-ginner of short-weighting the local farmers.

Truly, it is an excellent study of a man whose ambition political is fed by a creed that the end justifies the means.

was this mess that gave rise to the famous phrase, "Pity the poor reader."

DICTIONARY DODGES IT
When people wanting to enter words in this show asked me what was meant by "graphics," my first impulse was to say that surely it was obvious; for do not entire magazines these days advertise themselves as being devoted to the "graphic arts."

It was lucky for me that I checked an impulse to suggest that they consult their dictionary, for I have just consulted mine. It is the Concise Oxford, and runs to 1500 pages. In it I find no mention whatever of the word "graphics," let alone of the phrase "graphic arts." Evidently the learned gentlemen who compiled this work knew when they were beaten and preferred the discretion of omission to the valor of sticking their necks out on an art term.

All I can say is that, for my money, the graphic arts include linoleum cuts, wood cuts, potato cuts, etchings, lithographs, engravings, aquatints, monotypes, pochoirs, drawings, and serigraphs.

Anyone suggesting a better definition will receive my warm personal thanks and a recommendation to UNESCO as chairman of the above-mentioned forthcoming conference.

IT ALL DEPENDS
For instance, where one writer might use the word chroma to describe the kind of color a painter is using—red, orange, yellow, and so on—I myself would be ornery enough to use the word hue. Still another critic would use "value" for the same thing, whereas I would compound confusion by claiming that value refers to lightness or darkness of colors. It all depends, I suppose, on what art school you went to or what book on color theory you read last. I have no doubt it

THE RECORD SHOP

BY RICHARD KLEINER
The fabulous new sounds of Artie Shaw and his revived Gramercy Five are making are going to be recorded. But don't get your hopes up—most of them won't be for sale. They're for Shaw's own amusement. "The recording companies issue maybe six records a year on any artist," Artie said, relaxing in his bathrobe with a big boxer at his feet. "That may keep the public happy, but it's not enough to preserve your work."

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GRUBER CONDUCTS

Orchestra, Chorus Unite in 'Creation'

On Monday next, the Choral Society, Graham Steed director, will join forces with the Victoria Symphony Orchestra for their annual Christmas concert.

"Messiah" is being given a rest this year, and this year's efforts will be devoted to a performance of Haydn's wonderful oratorio "The Creation."

This work is some 57 years younger than the "Messiah," having been first given on April 29, 1798. It was, like the "Messiah," immediately successful, and in fact, for a long time the "Messiah" had to share equal honors and popularity with the Creation.

The impact upon the listeners at the first hearing must have been tremendous, from all accounts, and it has scarcely lessened on audiences ever since.

Haydn himself is said to have been quite overcome by the beauty of his own invention, and always maintained that he had nothing to do with it; pointing upwards, he murmured that it all came from on High.

Two of the soloists for Monday night have left indelible impressions here; Sten Englund, bass, and Eduard Palmason, tenor, will be remembered for a long time for their singing in the Beethoven Ninth Symphony, and Mr. Palmason also in the "Hymn of Praise" by Mendelssohn. A memorable performance of memorable music is anticipated on Monday.

For Lack of Auditorium

Not long ago, we spoke of the dire need of an auditorium in Victoria. Two recent events brought this matter painfully home to us. One was a recent symphony concert, at which Robin Wood was the soloist. At that occasion, several hundred people had to be turned away from the doors, or were vainly put on the waiting list for tickets. And this is by no means the first time such a situation has arisen; it only becomes more heart-breaking every time it occurs.

The other event was the week-long engagement of the Sadlers Wells Ballet in Vancouver. There was, of course, no hope of their coming here under present accommodation available. Given a proper auditorium, however, with adequate seating facilities, Victoria could also have enjoyed for the whole city. We will always be denied seeing and hearing such events so long as we are satisfied to make do without an auditorium.

Vancouver is about to go ahead and build one. Their efforts along this line are, of course, also many years overdue. Our need for an auditorium here in Victoria has become critical.

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Seasonal Programs Announced

In the realm of things to come, are several outstanding seasonal offerings. December 14 — Haydn's "Creation," Graham Steed conducting Victoria Choral Society and full Symphony Orchestra with Dr. Edward Palmason, tenor, and Stan Englund, Swedish basso, both of Seattle, as soloists. Also Margaret Dunn, soprano, of Victoria.

December 15 to 18 — St. Barnabas' Church again offers its beautiful Nativity play, this time directed by Mrs. Gwen Downes; admission by program only.

December 15 — YWCA Glee Club and Oak Bay United Church Choir each presenting concerts in Fairfield United and Oak Bay United Churches respectively. December 16 — Victoria Musical Art Society's enjoyable Carol Tea at Oak Bay Beach Hotel.

On the same evening "Carols in Candlelight," an annual event that has become a feature of the pre-Christmas season, will be presented at First United Church with Mr. and Mrs. Roberto Wood conducting and Malcolm Hamilton at the organ.

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ATLAS—"Niagara" at 1.02, 3.50, 6.38, 9.31, plus "G.I. Jane" at 2.40, 5.28, 8.16.

CAPITOL—"So This Is Love" at 1.20, 3.20, 5.20, 7.20, 9.20.

DOMINION—"The Captain's Paradise" at 1.34, 3.31, 5.28, 7.25, 9.27.

FOX—"It Happens Every Thursday" at 7.30, 9.40 p.m.

GEM—"Shane" at 7.45 p.m.

OAK BAY—"Kind Hearts and Coronets" at 7.11, 9.16.

ODEON—"Malta Story" at 1.02, 3.07, 5.12, 7.17, 9.22.

ROYAL—"A Lion Is in the Streets" at 1.15, 3.19, 5.23, 7.27, 9.36.

PLAZA—"War Paint" plus "Mexican Manhunt" at 7.11, 9.16.

TILLICUM—"Virginia City" at 8.35 plus "Noose Hangs High" at 7.00, 10.35.

ON THE STAGE
TOTEM—"Elizabeth Sleeps Out" at 8.30 p.m.

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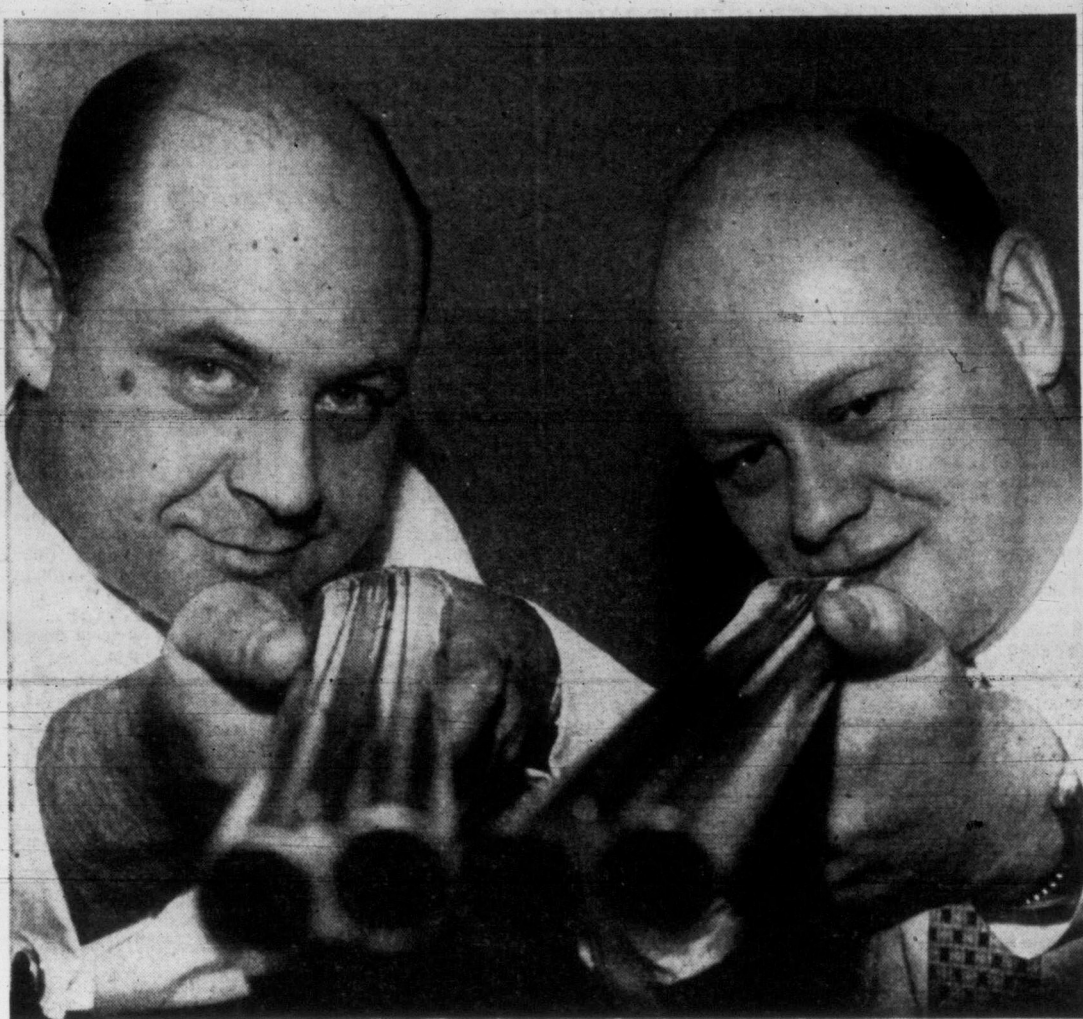
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They'll Be Gunning for Turkeys Sunday

There'll be more plumage on the turkeys than shrubbery on these two nimrods when Howard Damaske, left, and Fred Richardson go gunning for birds in the annual giant Yuletide shoot at the Victoria Gun Club grounds off Albert Road Sunday. In preparation, the pair turned their guns on Times photographer Bill

Halkett, and when they said "shoot," he was glad they were only speaking about the camera. Well over a ton of turkeys and some hams are on prize list in the event, open to young and old. Shooting starts at 9 a.m. and continues until dusk. Officials urge marksmen to get out for morning shooting

IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

You must have the will, but you've got to have the hands, too.

How often have you heard the expression: "There's a corner; he's got those 'good hands'." It's as true in baseball as it is in billiards.

One of the first things a major league scout looks for in an infielder is his hands.

Take Jimmy Clark, ex of the Tyees for example. It isn't so much his graceful movements that catch the eye. But those hands. He literally "feels" the ball into the glove.

Major league pitchers have been known to spend hours strengthening their fingers by squeezing a rubber ball to develop a stronger grip.

And wasn't it Willie Hoppe of cue fame who did likewise? A quarterback in T-formation football must also have that "feel" in his fingers. It's his ball-handling that makes the attack deceptive and backfield operative.

It's the same in basketball. Next time you're at a game, watch the lightning with which the stars accept a pass. It's so smooth it'll probably pass unnoticed if you're not looking for it.

Chuck Chapman had a great pair of mitts. Norm Baker is another. There are several others.

Great fighters, too, have been known to soak their hands in a brine solution in order to toughen them for the ordeal in the ring.

When hockey players talk about a rival goalkeeper, they invariably pay tribute to his "hands." Red Almas is as good as most. Lorne Worsley is above average. (Ivan Irwin has good hands, but they've been educated in a different school.)

Race jockeys have powerful hands and a vice-like grip. They must have.

Ben Hogan Gives the Answer

In golf the "grip" is the thing. Ask Ben Hogan. Better still, read what he has to say about the subject.

"The condition of your hands is very important . . . and it is a good idea to exercise your hands and keep them in condition. Your hands must be strong and at the same time sensitive to the demands put upon them. They must be strong and at the same time have a delicate touch, because there are shots in golf which require the finesse and touch of a master billiard player."

Hogan's method is to take a towel and squeeze it with both hands until his forearms are good and hard.

(However, don't forget that exercise can be overdone and if so, the "feel" will be lost.)

In shooting, too, the hands are important—more important, probably, than realized. Hand position on a smooth-bore can make all the difference between a bird and a miss.

No matter how right or wrong the technique, how free the position, the final gun-swinging has to be done by those hands.

The hands "catch" and cradle the recoil, just as a basketballer takes a pass and a first baseman takes a throw.

Yes, you've got to have those hands. Some bowlers use the "finger-tip" control; they call a pass-catching end in football a "glue-fingered receiver"; in curling it's the hands which get you the draw weight.

Okay, what about football? Hasn't Joe Travis got those "good hands," too?

ON THE OLD COUNTRY SOCCER SCENE

Quixall—Swell-Head or True Crusader?

Some weeks ago while discussing the formation of future England teams, reference was made to Albert Quixall, the young Sheffield Wednesday inside-forward, as being the type of player required to bolster the Old Country's approach to new ideas in her national game.

Perhaps it would be of interest to fans to know a little of Quixall's background. For, while only playing in big-time football for a couple of years, a wealth of praise and an equal amount of abuse have been showered on him.

Regarding the latter, it is the mere fact that Quixall has been termed "swell-headed" that brings about the con-

roversy. However, critics who really know the game point out that it is not a case of being conceited, but rather the complete self-confidence Quixall shows on the field of play. This being the case, fans apparently think that so young a player showing professional of long-standing tricks of the trade should be—in the words of an old idiom—"brought down a peg or two."

Quixall, a product of Yorkshire football, was brought up in the Sheffield area. From an early age intimate observers have known he was destined for greatness in the sport of Association Football. While a boy Albert visited

Hillsborough Park, home of the Wednesday, at every possible opportunity to watch his idol, Jackie Robinson. So great was Quixall's admiration for this former Sheffield great, that one can see a distinct resemblance in Quixall's play.

Never a prolific goal-scorer, the red-headed Robinson was the schemer de luxe, always positioning himself downfield behind his fellow forwards and then when the opportunity presented itself, laying down the defense-splitting pass. Quixall does likewise and it is this particular type of play that has brought a word of advice from another noted inside, Jimmy Hagan, member and team captain of

Wednesday's cross-town rivals, Sheffield United.

Hagan advised young Albert that his lack of goal-scoring was due to the fact that he was staying a little too far back of his forward line and that by playing a shade farther up-field, more goal scoring opportunities would present themselves.

The first to admit that there is room for vast improvement in his game, is Albert himself. After playing for England against the Rest of the World, Quixall had this to say:

"In my short time of playing it was my greatest experience. I learned more in the 90 minutes than I would in a whole season of league

Reay Likened to Sage, Calls Turn for Cougars

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WHL SUMMARIES

GP	W	L	T	GF	GA
Calgary	28	19	9	121	73
Vancouver	31	19	5	88	72
Westminster	30	13	13	4	89
Seattle	30	12	18	4	89
Edmonton	30	11	12	8	81
Victoria	28	11	12	8	81
Seattle	28	10	12	11	74
Edmonton	31	9	18	4	90

VICTORIA 3, SEATTLE 2
First period—1. Victoria, Bettie (Dorothy) 12:42. Penalties: Sinner (two minutes) 7:51, Alaby 7:51.
Second period—2. Victoria, Clune 2:48; 3. Seattle, Lofvendahl (Jeffery, Nadeau) 4:01; 4. Victoria, Heberton (Abbot) 15:15. Penalties: Nadeau 6:41, Clune 17:39.
Third period—5. Seattle, Jones (Heberton) 17:18. Penalties: Kilburn 10:07, Nadeau 14:18.

EDMONTON 6, VANCOUVER 4
First period—1. Edmonton, B. Poile (Schlitz) 2:11; 2. Edmonton, Unice (Anderson) 3:56; 3. Vancouver, Rouse (Swanberg, McCullough) 13:44; 4. Edmonton, Schlitz (B. Poile, D. Poile) 19:49. No penalties.
Second period—5. Vancouver, McCullough (Unice, Hanigan) 6:16; 7. Vancouver, Kaiser (Poppen, Brown) 12:54; 8. Vancouver, Rouse (Swanberg, McCullough) 13:37. Penalties: Haley 13:55.
Third period—9. Edmonton, Hymanak (B. Poile) 7:02; 10. Edmonton, Schlitz 12:27. Penalties: Hymanak 7:12, McCullough 7:12, Coffin 12:41.
Fourth period—11. Seattle, Jones (Heberton) 16:13-19-33; Hall 8-14-15-35.

Medal Golf Round Set At Uplands
Twenty-eight golfers will take part in the monthly medal round Sunday at the Uplands Golf Club. Bob Fleming is leading the way with a five-stroke lead over Bill McColl and six over Vlg Painter.

This will be the final round of the first half of the series.

Sunday's draw follows:
9:30—G. Fallow, F. Redford, R. Rogers, J. Briggs.
9:35—F. Ranson, W. Newcombe, A. Reiner, J. Clark.
9:45—R. Fleming, W. McColl, V. Painter, J. Robertson.
9:55—J. Bignall, F. Scroggs, R. Morrison, H. Morrison.
10:05—V. Claxton, V. Johnston, E. Brynjolfsson, W. Williams.
10:15—J. Merriman, T. Harris, R. Hunt, J. Carlow.
10:18—F. Jeffries, L. Hiberson, H. Francis, D. Rose.
Post entries accepted.

Suspension Stands, Says CAHA Official

TORONTO (BUP)—A court case would not affect the suspension of Jacques Marcotte, Quebec Frontenac netminder, a Canadian Amateur Hockey Association official maintained today.

George Dudley, secretary-manager of the CAHA, said the association's ruling would stand, court case or not, unless an injunction is obtained. He added that he had no word of any court action by the Frontenacs.

The Frontenacs of the Quebec Amateur Hockey Association Junior A League and Quebec Citadels of the Ontario Hockey Association Junior A series have been involved in a dispute over Marcotte.

The CAHA ruled the netminder must play with the Citadels. The Frontenacs said they would go to court to keep Marcotte.

Crippled V's Meet Clippers

Victoria V's will be without the steady influence of veteran playing-coach Fergie McPherson tonight when they meet Nanaimo Clippers at Nanaimo in a Vancouver Island Commercial Hockey League game.

McPherson injured his back Wednesday night and is not yet ready to return to the line-up.

Regular goalie Annie Jorgensen will also be out of the line-up as he is still recovering from a recent appendectomy. He will be replaced by 16-year-old Don Hamilton for the second time.

Nanaimo will be without Red Carr, still nursing torn knee ligaments suffered last Saturday night.

Belmont High took second place in the race, Bill Stansall of that school finishing in eighth place. University School was third through the perform-

By HALFBACK

Bombers Fall Easy Prey; Royals Host Cats Tonight

Victoria 3, Seattle 2

By BILL WALKER
It's getting so that coach Billy Reay of the Cougars on occasions, and inadvertently perhaps, can call the shot for his Cougars of the Western Hockey League.

As proof—a few examples.
1. It was a month or so ago that Reay put the finger on a few members of the club for a loss to the Canucks in Vancouver, intimating also they should be doing better.

Result: The miscreants, probably feeling the charge was unjust, promptly began to scintillate and a club upsurge was immediately noted.

2. A few weeks back Reay expressed concern over the lackadaisical attitude of the club in practice.

Marcel the Best of a Shoddy Lot

The Bombers failed to impress. And it was erratic shooting and a steady and sometimes spectacular performance by Seattle's goalie, Marcel Pelletier, that kept the score within bounds of reason.

Cougars deservedly had the better of the first period, although they weren't rewarded until the 19:43 mark, when Sam Bettio flipped what appeared to be a harmless shot from the left side. Pelletier also looked upon the shot with disdain, which was his mistake, as the puck slipped between his arm and body and caught the rig-

Previously Stan Maxwell, Andy Heberton and Reg Abbott had good opportunities. Sparked by the improved play of Abbott, and the fine two-way performance of Kilburn and Heberton this line was the most dangerous on the ice.

Walt Clune, who incidentally is probably the stillest wearing a thin smile of surprise today, electrified the crowd early in the second with a solo rush down the left boards to close in on Pelletier and catch the corner of the net with a pretty goal.

Reason for the surprising aspect of the case is that in two previous seasons Clune could only garner three goals. Friday's marker was his fifth of this season.

With the Cougars always coming close, and the Bombers seldom, it was unfortunate that a defensive error by Abbott should result in the Bombers' first goal.

The Cougar centre lost the puck to Vic Lofvendahl in the Cougar zone. And it took just three quick shots, two by Lofvendahl, the second one successful, for the Bombers to capitalize on the opportunity presented them at 6:03.

This was too much for Abbott, apparently, for he hadn't been deserving of such a misdemeanor. And it was his play on which Pelletier made a sprawling save that led to the loose puck which Heberton poked into the empty net for the third Cougar goal at 15:15.

Ralph Good; Reg Gets Dues, Too

On what could happen? He smiled when Abbott's name was mentioned Friday, and commented:

"Sure, he's playing better; because now he knows that he must."

And Doug Anderson! Doug didn't see much action Friday, but what service he did see was as a right winger.

Of Doug, Reay said: "I'm going to play him at right wing. He plays better on the wing and should go better than at centre. And he's got the third or fourth hardest shot on the club."

Regardless, the game is a four-pointer (aren't they all) to the Cougars and victory over the Royals could put the Cougars one point out of third place in the ever-tightening league race.

Reay has given the tipoff again

Vic High Runners Dominate Road Race

Eight Victoria High School distance runners were among the first 10 to cross the finish line in Friday's invitational four-mile road race to give the Victoria school its 21st consecutive victory in cross-country racing in two years.

Four other schools participated. They were University School, Belmont High School, Oak Bay High School and Shawinigan Lake Boys' School. Thirty-five runners took part in the event which started and finished at Vic high grounds.

Race was run during the afternoon dreary rains.

Vic High's Mike Chambers completed the route in the fine time of 22 minutes, seven seconds. Harry Stevens and Jim Pickup of Vic High were second and third, respectively.

Vic High's Al Blakey placed fourth, teammates Bill Christiansen, Cliff Rintrew and Tom Croft next, in that order.

Belmont High took second place in the race, Bill Stansall of that school finishing in eighth place. University School was third through the perform-

By HALFBACK

SIX STRAIGHT Canucks Drop Another

Edmonton 6, Vancouver 4

Vancouver Canucks, Western Hockey League leaders most of the season, lost another chance Friday night to move again into a first place tie when they dropped a 6-4 decision to last place Edmonton Flyers.

Some 4,000 fans saw Canucks lose their sixth consecutive game.

Playing coach Bud Poile, 30-year-old National Hockey League veteran, led his Flyers to the 6-4 victory, scoring one goal himself and setting up two others. His left winger, Enio Scisizki, scored twice and other Edmonton goals came from Jim Uniac, Jim Anderson and Steve Hymanak.

Vancouver scorers were Cy Rouse with two, Chuck McCullough and Carl Kaiser.

Poile, who has injected himself into the Flyer line-up in an effort to stop their losing ways, got a goal and an assist in the first period as Edmonton took a 3-1 lead.

Canucks, who have led the league for most of the season, rallied to tie the count at 4-4 in the second but Flyers got the only two goals of the final 20 minutes.

PROTEST GOAL

Vancouver protested vainly over Edmonton's third goal, set up by one of the prettiest plays of the night. Poile sent a pass straight through the Canuck defenders at their own blueline. Scisizki raced around the Vancouver defense and caught an outside corner from 20 feet out after making Worsley move first.

Barons Nip AHL Leaders

CLEVELAND (AP)—Cleveland Barons scored twice in the last period to defeat Buffalo Bisons, leaders of the American Hockey League, 3-2, in a stormy game Friday night.

With four seconds left, a fist fight between Fred Glover of Cleveland and Frank Eddolls, the Buffalo playing manager, cost them both major penalties and nearly touched off a free-for-all. Glover was in the penalty box and Eddolls outside the rail when they started swinging.

Buffalo took the lead in the second period on Don Marshall's 19th goal of the season, but Jack Gordon soon tied it. In the final period, Glover and Eddie Olson gave Cleveland a 3-1 lead. Steve Woschy scored the Bisons' second goal.

Hockey Scores

AMERICAN LEAGUE	Buffalo 2, Cleveland 3.
ONTARIO JUNIOR A	Hamilton 4, Guelph 3.
BARRETT JUNIOR A	Barrie 1, Toronto St. Michael's 3.
MARITIME MAJOR	Halifax 6, Sydney 6.
GLACE BAY 4, Charlottetown 2.	
SENIOR INTERCOLLEGIATE	Laval 4, McGill 2.
ONTARIO SENIOR A	Owen Sound 3, Chatham 2.
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE	Marietta 4, Cincinnati 2.
MANITOBA JUNIOR	Winnipeg Monarchs 1, Winnipeg Barons 1.
NORTHERN ONTARIO SENIOR A	Pembroke 2, Sudbury 4.
OKANAGAN SENIOR	Kelowna 3, Kamloops 4.
VERNON 3, Penticton 1.	
WESTERN JUNIOR	Moore Juv 3, Regina 6.
QUEBEC JUNIOR	Verdon 3, Quebec 2.
Canadians 31, 19, 2, 8, 134, 34, 38	
Quebec 18, 11, 5, 2, 78, 83, 34	
Three Rivers 22, 9, 12, 1, 58, 79, 19	
Montreal 20, 10, 1, 1, 47, 87, 18	
Royals 20, 7, 19, 8, 44, 139, 18	
Jouegues 21, 3, 19, 8, 44, 139, 18	

London Fight Promoter Drops Decision to MP

LONDON (CP)—Pint-sized Dr. Edith Summerskill won a split decision over burly fight promoter Jack Solomons Friday night by convincing a London debating society that professional boxing should be banned.

The red-haired Member of Parliament, health minister in the last Labor government, outpointed Solomons by a vote of 13 to 11 when they tangled before the Hardwicke Society at the Temple in the heart of London's legal district.

The verbal battle began, appropriately enough, with the tinkling of a little brass bell. Dr. Summerskill moved right out of her corner.

"I seek to prohibit professional boxing on rational grounds," she said.

She claimed the support of "some of the finest medical men in the world, who have come to the conclusion that civilized society must prohibit commercialized fighting."

In the four years after the Second World War, 42 boxers had been killed in the United States and "thousands of others" had been made punch drunk.

Dr. Summerskill then produced a cardboard box and pulled out a skull.

Holding up half of the skull she pointed out a ridge called the sphenoidal ridge, against which the brain bounces every time it meets with impact.

Punches on the head, she said, cause the brain to bounce against the ridge and this may damage brain cells—"a condition known as being punch drunk."

Solomons said only 21 boxers died in the ring in the United States from 1920 to 1952. But 43 athletes had been killed in baseball and 22 in football during the same period.

He landed his Sunday punch when he announced that Dr. Summerskill's son is one of the best boxers at his school. His opponent refused to comment.

BASKETBALL

KINS vs. VANCOUVER CLOVERLEAFS

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A Week's Work

By DENNY BOYD

Bert Nelson, he of the beetling brows and bull-moose voice, is a most unfair man.

All season long, Bert, as coach of the Navy club in the Victoria Junior Canadian Football League, stood on the sidelines and fired opponents, fans and officials alike with his heart-rendering orations to the referees.

His filibusters prompted many listeners to mutter dark things, such as, "If Bert could play half the game he talks, what a man he'd be."

And then, by jing, last Saturday, Bert puts on a uniform and, at the age of 43, cavorts like a young sprat and personally beats the belabbers out of the so-called Victoria All-Stars, a team of players 20 years Bert's junior.

And now that Bert has shown that he can play twice as good as he talks, people have to grant him the authority of his side-line tirades. Like we said, it's unjust of him to be able to back up his words so aptly.

And still on football, Lou McCorkill, who raises soft-ball teams in the summer and grass in the winter, passes on the following bit of information.

Lou, as groundskeeper for the city parks department, had the task of lining the field prior to grid games. He claims, "Every time I mark out a field, I walk a mile and a half and it takes me an hour and a half. I wish I was playing, it would be easier."

Something Different Department — Ralph Petersen, sec-treas. of the local junior grid league, quit smoking eight weeks ago but has a slightly different testimonial than most reformed weeders.

Says Ralph: "Since I quit smoking I feel 100 per cent worse. I'm always coughing. I've lost my appetite and my mouth tastes like a wrestler's shoe."

The cynics and skeptics in Vancouver are saying, "The Lions may roar in '54, but will they still be alive in '55?" And Annis Stukus, the papa lion says, regarding Johnny Lattner of Notre Dame, "Only one team can outbid us and that's the one coached by Uncle Sam."

If you don't like the things you read on these other pages, come out and call us names Wednesday night when the Press meets the Radio in a benefit basketball game at Vic High gym. Proceeds will go to the promotion of minor basketball and for a Christmas party for the Solarium kids.

Did you know that Ray Fogg, erstwhile defenseman with Victoria V's of the Commercial Hockey League, was once an outstanding goal-keeper with Calgary Buffaloes of the Western-Canada Junior League. An unfortunate eye accident ended his gate-keeper career and moved him out to the blue line.

Speaking of Commercial Hockey, you can drive yourself to near distraction by trying to figure out the psy-

Ferguson Makes Gain In Times' Fan Poll

A new and slightly startling trend was observed this week in voting for the Times Amateur Athlete of the Year.

Whitney Severson, who has had the vote market cornered since the contest opened in June, slipped to third place this week as fans of Arnie Ferguson and Lionel Speller caused a minor upset in the polls.

Ferguson was the leader for the week as he received a deluge of votes only slightly less heavy than the week's rainfall. The balding veteran of the Victoria Shamrocks even received votes from as far away as Fernie and Ardmore, B.C.

Ferguson's fans are banding together and sending votes in to the Times in single envelopes containing 20 or more ballots. Such a system, if continued, could conceivably allow Ferguson to overhaul Severson

in the race for the first Times award of the year.

However, this week's results did not make too big a dent in the huge lead built up by Severson, who also is fourth in the B.C. Athlete of the Year contest, sponsored by the Vancouver Daily Province.

Speller remained a consistent figure in the voting as his many sports activities, including soccer, gymnastics, weight-lifting, wrestling, boxing and refereeing, kept him in contention.

The contest is slightly past the halfway mark and voting for favorites is increasing every week. To nominate your choice as the city's top amateur athlete of the year, clip the accompanying ballot, fill it in as directed and mail it to the Times Amateur Athlete of the Year Committee, Sports Department, Victoria Daily Times.

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TAKE PLEDGE

Kins Could Be Tough Now

The Victoria Kins have taken the pledge. From here on in, the Kins will eat basketball, drink basketball and sleep basketball. The Kins are going to get into shape, they are going to watch their diets and they are going to cut out their post-game post mortems.

This is the word, joyfully announced by coach Busher Jackson.

The plan goes into effect for the first time tonight when the Kins host Vancouver Clover Leafs at Vic High gym.

Jackson said Friday, "The kids realize that this could be our year. Last season we got to the B.C. playoffs and this year we have a better team."

But they also realize that high living and basketball don't mix so from here on in we mean business. It isn't my idea alone, the kids want it that way themselves and it makes me mighty happy.

PATTERN SET

"Alberti has beaten us three times this season by simply out-hustling us. If we don't get in shape they'll do it every time." Johnny (Clark) has been working out at the "Y" on his own to get into shape as fast as possible and now the rest of the team is taking the hint."

Kins, who haven't lost to a mainland club in two tries this season, having waxed New Westminster Moderns and UBC Jayvees, will be renewing an old rivalry when they meet Ron Weber's Leafs tonight. One of the finest series in recent hockey history was the result when Kins and Leafs tangled for the B.C. title last year. The series

ended in a 4-3 victory for the Kins.

NHL Coffers Enriched By Leaf-Hab Hi-Jinks

MONTREAL (CP)—National Hockey League officials came wearily out of a long huddle Friday and announced that after much double-checking they have established these figures in connection with the Wednesday game at Toronto between Montreal Canadiens and Toronto Maple Leafs—the game that was almost blown to smithereens late in the last period.

There were 36 penalties in all a record. There were 18 penalties to each club. Research showed the previous high in total penalties was 35—all minors in a game Nov. 12, 1931, with New York Rangers in Montreal.

The Leafs had nine minor penalties, two majors and seven misconduct penalties. Canadiens had eight minors, two majors and eight misconduct penalties.

Total penalties in minutes were 304, another record. Previous high was Oct. 12, 1952, when Leafs played at Detroit, and the total was 78 minutes.

Thistles Named

WINNIPEG (CP)—Jimmy Dunn of Winnipeg, vice-president of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, announced Friday night that Kenora Thistles, 1952-53 western intermediate champions, have been granted permission to represent Canada in an 11-game tour of Japan next year.

Seals' Purchase Aided By Fans, Radio Station

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—A small radio station and hundreds of fans helped Damon Miller and his little corporation gain control of the San Francisco Seals franchise in the Pacific Coast Baseball League.

After six hours of angry debate, PCL directors Friday awarded control of the club to Miller, general manager of the Seals under former owner Paul Fagan.

One owner said Miller swayed the reluctant directors, who doubted his financial ability, because "we had never seen such a demonstration on behalf of a ball club."

The Pacific National Bank of San Francisco came to Miller's aid with a \$50,000 loan. Radio station KSAN, which starts telecasting next spring, guaranteed the league against any loss of its five-year Seals' Stadium lease from Fagan.

POWER OFF

GORDON HEAD, TEN MILE POINT, CORDOVA BAY, AND PARTS OF SAANICH AND OAK BAY

An interruption to electric service to allow crews to work on high voltage lines will be necessary on

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13 from approx. 7.30 a.m. to approx. 9 a.m. (about 90 minutes)

The outage will affect Gordon Head, Cordova Bay, Ten Mile Point and the area bounded by Cedar Hill Road, North Dairy Road, Richmond to Haultain to Foul Bay Road to Fort Street to Cranmore to Hampshire to Oak Bay Avenue to St. Patrick to Central and east to Beach Drive.

The Uplands area and the area from Estevan Avenue to Uplands will not be affected.

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EXPORT CANADA'S FINEST CIGARETTE

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Totems, Dockers Triumph

Surging in front early and maintaining a healthy margin throughout, Victoria High Totems and Esquimalt High Dockers marked up victories in inter-school basketball games Friday night.

Totems, coached by former star Porky Andrews, drubbed Normal School, 71-51, while Oak Bay High School bowed in defeat at the hands of the Dockers, 46-35.

At the end of the first quarter Totems were in front 20-6. They were never in trouble thereafter. Andrews' crew invades Port Alberni tonight to meet Alberni High School Chieftans, 46-35.

JAHRAUS HIGH

Jim Jahraus was in hot form for Normal School. He was one of the tops in the night's scoring parade by ringing up 22 points.

Ed Peterson rolled up 16 points for Totems and teammate Ed Crabbe scored 12.

Other game at Vic High gym saw Normal School girls measure Vic High girls, 36-15. J. Patterson scored 16 of the winners' points.

SAME PATTERN

At Esquimalt the Dockers did pretty much what the Totems did, got out in front early and stayed off all Oak Bay attacks to finish victors by 11 points.

They were ahead, 12-5, at the end of the first quarter and riding a 31-13 margin at the half.

Lowry equalled what Jahraus did for Totems, tallying 22 points for Esquimalt. Partridge of Oak Bay scored 12.

Closest of all games was Esquimalt opener between Esquimalt Juniors and Vic High. Esquimalt won 33-32 due to George McCreadie's timely late basket.

Scorers follow:

Oak Bay—Partridge 12, Creighton 8, Dunn 1, Barnes 6, Willis 1, Edgar 1, Weisman 1, Total—35.
Esquimalt—Cunningham 9, Lowry 22, Humphrey 10, Webb 2, Patterson 11, Benoit 1, Parry, McCreadie 12, Mitchell, Victoria High—Peterson 16, Crabbe 12, Esquimalt—Kowalski, Fletcher, Rutherford 10, Abbott 2, McCullough 7, Tomlinson 2, Sellings 4, Chisholm 2, Total—71.
Normal School—Jahraus 22, Adre 7, Bryan 1, Banks 3, Gies 1, Montgomery, Fisher 1, Dunlop 4, Savel, Irwin 4, Total—51.

WEEK-END GAMES

It remains to be seen whether the players or the customers will pay the freight in the NHL's busy round of week-end activities, but the schedule promises a few attractions that are likely to keep the fans interested.

Detroit fans, averted by the news that the Red Wings haven't won a game in their last four, can be expected to turn either for Boston Bruins' visit Saturday night or Montreal's appearance Sunday.

Toronto fans will get a chance to celebrate captain Ted Kennedy's 28th birthday as the Leafs entertain Chicago Saturday night. At the same time they can check on goalie Harry Lumley's progress as he leads the pack in pursuit of the Vezina Trophy.

New York Rangers will be in Montreal Saturday, trying for their first victory at the Forum since February, 1950. Sunday they play host to Toronto while the Bruins visit the last place Hawks.

Three games will be presented by the Saanich and Suburban Basketball League tonight, starting at 7.15 in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton.

First meeting will be between Brentwood Bantams and Saanichton. Saanich juvenile girls will meet Sidney senior 3 women in the second game, the final being between Saanich Copley Bros. senior C men and Victoria Chinese Students.

Nardiello Honored

NEW YORK (AP)—Dr. Vincent Nardiello, 65-year-old New York state athletic commission physician, today was voted the James J. Walker Memorial Plaque for long and meritorious service to boxing by the New York Boxing Writers Association. Light heavy weight Floyd Patterson also was named "rookie of the year" for 1953.

Laurels Rest Lightly On Lorna's Shoulders

By RON COULTER

Less than one month ago Lorna Loney was commended for her tepid bowling prowess. This week she receives another deserved pat on the back.

At the former time Lorna had rolled triples of 564 and 530 in one week and had hit for totals of 525 and 561 the previous week.

Apparently she took her compliment seriously, for this week she eclipsed her other performances when she fired a 609 triple in Strathcona women's play and added a 547 in Gibson's mixed section. Included in her series at Strathcona was a 226 single.

Len Murrant with a 580 triple and Ken Munn at 553 paced the men in Gibson's mixed tens. Munn had leading single of 213 and Murrant added a 208. Doris Williams trundled women's top single-ton of 192.

Connie McBeth, 584; Jack Leatham, 582; Len Murrant, 579; Wilbur Webb, 578; Ken Munn, 556; Bill Norris, 554; Andy Palmer, 552; and George Motion at 551 rolled high triples in the senior league. Ron Wilson, 226; McBeth, 225; Webb, 219, and Leatham with 212 led the singles department.

Gorge Hotel posted high team triple of 2,722, and Orange Crucible claimed leading single of 923.

In the commercial division Munn, 605; H. Mayzes, 604; Wilbur Webb, 568; John Roper, 566; C. Sapala, 564; Norm Baker, 554, and Rom Knott at 553 claimed high triples.

Munn, 223, 206; R. Douglas, 222; Dick Bowles and Wilbur Webb, 214; Fred Welsh and Ron Coulter, 213; Mayzes, 213, 202; Bill Templeton, 211, and Ian McKeachie with 210 trundled top singletons.

Thirteen came in with team high total of 3,043 (300 handicap) while Dockyard turned in leading single of 1,040 (170 handicap).

Ron Wilson, 603, and Wally Anderson, 574, set the pace in Strathcona commercial ten. Wilson had high single of 232, while Anderson added a 222. Green's ANR shot leading team single of 962 and triple at 2,732.

In mixed fivepin play Keith Todd hit for an 813 total and M. Blake totaled 733.

Paul Chan, 868; John Latham, 859; Charlie Pugh, 859; Alex McKeachie, 804, and Lloyd Jones with a 752 led Gibson's commercial league. Chan, 357, 317; Pugh, 319; Latham, 315, and E. Brasseur at 307 rolled high singles.

Cy Wallis, 851; Howie Butler, 784, and Geoff Worrall,

Sturgeon to Remain An Eskimo Manager

EDMONTON (CP)—Bob Sturgeon will continue in 1954 as playing manager of Edmonton Eskimos of the Western International Baseball League.

President Brant Matthews of the Edmonton club announced today the rehiring of Sturgeon, a second baseman, who led Eskos to an aggregate third place finish last year in the WI split regular schedule.

with a 763 total, led the Capital City classic section. Wallis fired high single of 410.

Bruce Robinson hit for an 823 total to top the commercial section, while Doug Griffith, 797; Reg Waggoner, 776, and Alex Waggoner, 751, followed. Waggoner, 318; Robinson, 334; Lawrence, 313, and Smith, with 301, added high singletons.

Bert Copp, with a 299 single and 792 total, led Gibson's

mixed fives. June Moore was tops for the women with a 311 singleton and 680 triple.

Gibson's is forming a junior tenpin league which will be registered with the American Junior Bowling Congress. Under this program instruction, bowling school and medals for team and individual winners are provided. Applications from boys 18 years of age and under are now being taken.

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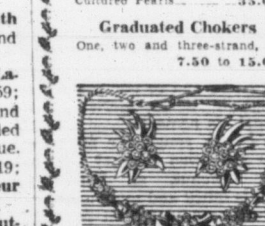
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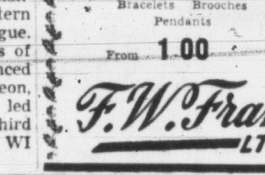
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HOBSON'S CORNER

How to Beat Shuttle Problem

There is more to this badminton shuttle business (cost thereof) than meets the eye of the bird.

Ten years ago, a group of lads in the states, braced off with having to shell out 50 cents every game for the bird, invented a new game.

Its name, and it is officially recognized, is Sponge Badminton. Played in the normal way, the sponge, some three and one-half inches in diameter, lasts indefinitely. Added advantage—the game can be played anywhere. Some one is bound to write in and put the squeeze on me by asking what happens when it rains!

The year 1935 was quite a one for the Victoria Table Tennis Association. The first ladies' singles champion was established—Miss Peggy Horne, and the first international challenge match between Victoria and Seattle was played in the Crystal Garden in November.

The open men's singles was won by Wilmot Brown-Cave, who later teamed with Vic Tully to take the open doubles. The association as it is known today was formed in that same year and a "community hall" system of league play introduced.

Sixteen teams competed in two leagues. The first B.C. championships were held in Vancouver in 1936 but we'll skip that since all the cups went over the border. Next week I'll introduce a world's champion.

Most people who play sports are fit but very few in "condition." As nice a fagot as could be tossed into the stove, that one spluttered and crackled and will for some time.

Top-ranking local and national sportsmen (and women) prove that it is condition that counts and not age. Give us a man of experience (age) who is in first-class shape (condition) and you can keep your pimply youth who more likely than not, is neither. Perhaps the most pathetic aspect of youths' attitude toward sport is that they expect they will automatically be fit enough to play the game of their choice. This, of course, is a fallacy, but try and tell 'em.

LIKENED TO JOLIAT

Hergesheimer Keeps Ranger Flag Flying

By BEN OLAN

NEW YORK (AP)—New York Rangers haven't had much to talk about this National Hockey League season. But what's been said has centered around Wally Hergesheimer, their 26-year-old right winger.

"I don't know what we'd have done without him," manager, coach Frank Boucher said Wednesday. "Almost all of his goals have come when we needed them the most."

Hergy, who has 10 goals this season fourth-highest total in the NHL, has been a life-saver for the fifth-place Rangers—particularly during the last week.

On Dec. 2, his goal with eight minutes left to play gave the Rangers a tie with Chicago. Saturday, he scored the lone marker as the New Yorkers lost to the Black Hawks 2-1 and Sunday, his climatic tally with 28 seconds remaining—deadlocked Toronto 3-3.

A five-foot-eight 155-pounder from Winnipeg, Wally is always around the net in position to score.

LIKE AUREL JOLIAT

"He reminds me a lot of Aurel Joliat a star with Montreal two decades ago that was," Boucher declared. "He's also dangerous from outside and for a little guy, he's pretty good on defence."

Hergesheimer himself attributes most of his success to advice from his brother Phil, who played with Chicago and Boston some 10 years ago.

"Phil was the one who told me to hang around the goal when-

To Race in U.S.

LONDON (AP)—Two British racehorses will go to the United States late this month for a three-month racing spell.

The horses are the four-year-olds Rawson and Flight, owned and trained by Stanley Wootton.

They will go by air to New York and then on to Santa Anita.

WEST PALM BEACH (AP)—Don Flanagan, 147, St. Paul, outpointed Chief Crazy Horse, 156, Coral Gables, Fla. (19).



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Curling Draw

Next week's draw for the Victoria Curling Club follows:

MEN'S DRAW

MONDAY
6:45 p.m.—W. Rempel vs. R. Brunwell; H. Hale vs. W. Yardey; Rev. Roberts vs. W. Knight; J. Cooper vs. H. Seller; H. Brown vs. L. A. Row; W. C. Kilgus vs. Bill Lawson; Dick Pick vs. J. McGilvray.

TUESDAY
6:00 p.m.—R. Peterson vs. L. Thorsen; W. Walker vs. K. C. Lawson; E. D. Bullock vs. A. J. Bowring; Dr. K. Mowsey vs. W. Garraway; L. Perlette vs. F. Burdon; Mrs. Zait vs. E. Gordon; T. Gutoski vs. W. Dunstan.

WEDNESDAY
6:45 p.m.—T. Menzies vs. S. E. Kidd; L. R. Allen vs. Colin Wells; J. Ramsay vs. W. McGill; 8:00 p.m.—T. Leach vs. H. Croll; J. A. Robson vs. F. Cunningham; W. J. Mye vs. R. McCutcheon; A. Lecours vs. G. Ormiston; H. Law vs. Brian Bowden; C. Boucous vs. C. F. Watson; G. Handford vs. G. Robertson.

THURSDAY
6:45 p.m.—H. Renfrew vs. Wilf Lawson; A. Clarke vs. M. Schwartz; E. McFarlane vs. W. Robbo; W. Jones vs. Dr. Ross; W. Ludlow vs. G. Lauder; Dr. Ayres vs. S. Ryckoff; H. Hillard vs. Paul Wells.

FRIDAY
6:00 p.m.—A. McKay vs. J. A. Pinnar; Rev. Jones vs. C. F. Fisher; C. Harrel vs. W. Kilcoyne; Charles Watson vs. E. Erichson vs. G. Thomson vs. Dr. Tucker; H. Paulin vs. T. Ledingham; W. H. Cam vs. F. W. McDougall.

WOMEN'S DRAW
MONDAY
6:45 p.m.—Mary Wells vs. Mrs. Fraser; 8:00 p.m.—Mary McKay vs. Peggy Bullock.

TUESDAY
6:45 p.m.—Ida Jacobson vs. Winnifred Smith; Marg Richardson vs. Mrs. McGillivray.

WEDNESDAY
6:45 p.m.—Marion Bradley vs. Mrs. Taylor; 8:00 p.m.—Ann Langley vs. Mrs. Cooper.

THURSDAY
6:45 p.m.—Mary Wells vs. Mrs. McGillivray; 8:00 p.m.—Marion Bradley vs. Ida Jacobson.

FRIDAY
6:45 p.m.—Peggy Bullock vs. Mrs. Cooper; 8:00 p.m.—Mrs. Fraser vs. Mrs. Richardson; Winnifred Smith vs. Dr. Law.

SATURDAY
6:45 p.m.—Mrs. Taylor vs. Betty Stubb; 8:00 p.m.—Mary McKay vs. Ann Langley.

London Possible Site Of Title Bout

LONDON (UP)—Promoter Jack Solomons has announced he will fly to New York next Thursday in an effort to arrange a world middleweight title bout in London next June.

Solomons said he would try first to arrange a match between champion Carl (Bobo) Olson and Pompey. Failing that, he will endeavor to bring about a return between Olson and Randy Turpin.

"If I fail to induce Olson to come to this country," Solomons said, "then I have a natural right on own doorstep—a match between Turpin and Pompey."

While in New York the British promoter will try to conclude the arrangements he is making for Roland La Starza to meet British heavyweight champion Don Cockell, next March in an elimination for the right to challenge world titleholder Rocky Marciano.

McNeil is quick and most of the time he's been just a bit faster than I've been."

NEW YORK (AP)—Wallace Bud Smith, 134, Cincinnati, outpointed Orlando Zulueta, 135, Havana, (19).

OPENING SHOW PLEASES

Boxing Fans Will Be Back

By DENNY BOYD

The Greater Victoria Amateur Boxing Association didn't get too many people out to their first card of the season Friday night at Victoria Ballroom but they can be sure of getting all of Friday's patrons back for the next card, if they arrange a rematch between Bert Wilkinson and Bill Kosh.

Kosh, a stocky 160-pound cutie from the strong Navy boxing club, gained a close decision over Wilkinson, now fighting out of the Fire Department Club after a long tenure with Esquimalt, in the main event of a 12-bout card.

While the Times score card agreed with the judges' decision favoring Kosh, a good number of the fans were disgruntled over the outcome as was Wilkinson's manager, Ed Duffin. So it appears that a rematch in the near future would be a natural. Kosh won a close decision over Wilkinson in Port Alberni a week ago.

THRILLS HERE

The semi-main was probably the most exciting fight of the night as Howard Abercrombie of Navy dropped a decision to Fire Department's Freddy Curtis, who has come a long way since his last local appearance.

One of the most promising and ring-wise of the fighters on the card was Navy's 158-pound John Thurmier who seems to have been around but who still drew a tartar in the person of novice Bill Watts, another Navy battler. Thurmier had to use all of his cunning to escape the pummeling right crosses served up by Watts. Although Watts was groggy in the third round, Thurmier had taken too much punishment by that time to finish his opponent off although he got the decision.

Skimp Williams, an unorthodox red-head from Chemainus, showed a clever left hand and

Smith Looms as Threat For Lightweight Title

NEW YORK (UP)—Wallace Bud Smith of Cincinnati, fresh from victory over Orlando Zulueta in a challengers' rubber match, waved a \$30,000 guarantee at lightweight champion Jimmy Carter today for a title fight.

Promoter Sam Becker of Cincinnati said he would provide the guarantee to Carter if he would defend against Smith, who won a unanimous decision over Cuban Zulueta in their fourth encounter last night at Madison Square Garden.

Smith weighed 136½ pounds; Zulueta, 135.

Bull-shouldered Smith, mak-

ing his debut as a garden main-

eventer, was impressive as he registered his second victory over lanky Zulueta in their nationally televised and broadcast 10-rounder before only 2,991 cash customers.

Zulueta had won one bout in the series, and their first fight had resulted in a draw.

TIME OUT! BY JEFF KEATS



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Jettie (Fly) 6.00
Time—1:12 3-5

Third Race—Jalisco (Ford) \$4.30 \$2.50 \$2.50
Lady Sealion (Longden) 2.50 2.00
Real Happy (Banks) 6.25
Time—1:12

Fourth Race—Reading Time \$67.70 \$25.40 \$10.90
Past Pilot (Simmons) 5.90 3.80
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Time, 1:46 4-5

Fifth Race—Domino Lady \$8.10 \$1.60 \$2.70
Nevada John (Harmata) 2.90 2.20
All's Thunder (Longden) 2.50
Time, 1:11

Sixth Race—Boy Reah (Longden) \$8.20 \$1.50 \$3.50
Bike Round (Harmata) 2.50 2.50
Flag Bonnet (Ford) 7.50
Time, 1:10 2-5

Seventh Race—Capers Venture (Longden) \$3.80 \$2.60 \$2.40
Blaze Pace (Parnell) 4.40 2.10
Time, 1:10 2-5

Eighth Race—Bride (Shoemaker) \$4.20 \$2.50 \$2.40
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Kid Gavilan Named 'Fighter of Year'

NEW YORK (AP)—Welterweight champion Kid Gavilan was voted as 1933's "fighter of the year" by the Boxing Writers' Association Friday.

Gavilan will receive the Edward J. Neil Memorial Plaque Jan. 14 at the association's annual dinner. The 27-year-old Havana "Kid" defended his crown three times during the year, defeating Chuck Davey, Carmen Basilio and Johnny Bratton. He turned in outstanding performances while knocking out Davey and battering Bratton.

The Neil Plaque, presented annually to the fighter who did the most for the sport during the year, is named in memory of the former Associated Press boxing writer who was killed in 1938 while serving as a war correspondent in Spain. Gavilan became the first non-U.S. boxer to win it.

Gavilan, given a unanimous ballot by the 44 voting members, succeeds Rocky Marciano, 1932 winner, Lightweight champion

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Gardens and Home Building

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FIX-IT FORUM

Q—What size should nails be in relation to the thickness of the wood to be nailed?
A—Nails should be three times as long as the wood is thick.
Q—Why must some floor finishes be thinned before use?
A—Some are prethinned and some are not. Thin coatings dry quicker, and two thin coats are more durable than one heavy one. Always thin in accordance with directions on the label.

QUIZZING THE GARDENER

Does it matter if a sloping garden is dug from the lowest point to the highest?
Soil is naturally moved downhill when cultivating crops, also by the movement of soil water. By commencing the digging at the highest point and proceeding downhill, each turn of earth is moved up-slope and the high portions prevented from becoming bare of topsoil.

Can a clay soil be made to produce early crops in spring?
Clay soils are late and cold because they hold quantities of water. Any process which will drain the water from the soil to permit earlier warming will be beneficial. The simplest method is to make narrow raised beds in the fall, incorporating plenty of humus, and keep the surface soil loose by frequent cultivation, especially in early spring, so that warm air may penetrate.

Why do some black currant bushes produce a lot of sucker growths while others have clean stems and no suckers?
Whether a black currant bush will, or will not, produce sucker growths is determined when the cuttings are taken. For clean stemmed plants all buds are removed from the portion of the cutting which goes below ground. When the buds are not removed they produce the new growths from the low soil level.

What is the main drawback to this Thanksgiving sowing in the need of a sheltered, frost-free garden. My friend lives on the waterfront facing east and has a garden beautifully sheltered with trees and hedges. In an open or frosty situation the fall growth is later exposed to conditions which make success impossible.

A sowing at Christmas has more in its favor. With the cooler weather, germination is slower and top growth not so rapid. After making an appearance above the soil, the plants concentrate on making root growth until the air temperature increases in late February. At that time, with a well developed root system, they go ahead rapidly.

It is useless to attempt sowing in a heavy, cold, wet clay. The soil must be of the lighter type, and well drained so that water does not remain long enough to cause rotting of the seed. Heavy soil can be made suitable by incorporating lots of humus (compost or manure, both well rotted) and sand, and then building it into a raised bed which will drain quickly.

The seeds to sow are broad beans and peas, and maybe a few potatoes. The Windsor broad beans have long been favorites, but the newer long-pod varieties are considered more hardy and bear heavy crops. Of the peas, an early dwarf round-seeded variety should be chosen, and, of course, an early potato such as Warba.

The seeds should be placed a little deeper than is usual with spring sowings, but not deep enough to be too far from air, nor beyond the reach of warmth on a sunny day. In a well-drained bed, the potatoes can go down about eight inches, but they must not lie in water. The time to make the sowings will vary with the weather, but we usually get a few good days between the 20th and 26th of

JACK BEASTALL SAYS

In Victoria You Can Plant Vegetables on Christmas Day

December which are ideal for the job. In 10 years, according to my notebook, nine of my sowings were made either the day before Christmas, Christmas Day or the day after. Of these sowings, two failed due to very bad weather in late February.

More important than an exact date is having everything in readiness when the break comes, because we cannot expect good planting conditions again until late March.

As the seedlings show above ground it is wise to draw a little earth around them for protection, and to have some loose, dry litter handy to throw over them if the weather becomes really bad.

Pots of bulbs will have roots showing through the drainage holes, and top growth will have started. Bring the early flowering varieties into house or greenhouse and gradually give light and heat.

Take cuttings of early flowering chrysanthemums, discarding the old roots. Tulip and Dutch Iris bulbs which are still unplanted should be put in at once. In heavy soil, choose the best drained spot.

Lay out, and make, paths in new gardens. Fences should be built or repaired, as necessary. See that drains and ditches are adequate. Don't allow your good top soil to be washed away. Check all plants and cuttings in cold frames. Remove any fading or rotting leaves. Have glass cold-frame covers raised all around during mild weather for free ventilation, but protect plants from excessive rain. Dig out and burn any unwanted trees and shrubs. Prune grape vines in greenhouses. Clean the rods (canes) of all loose bark. Apply fresh top soil to the roots.

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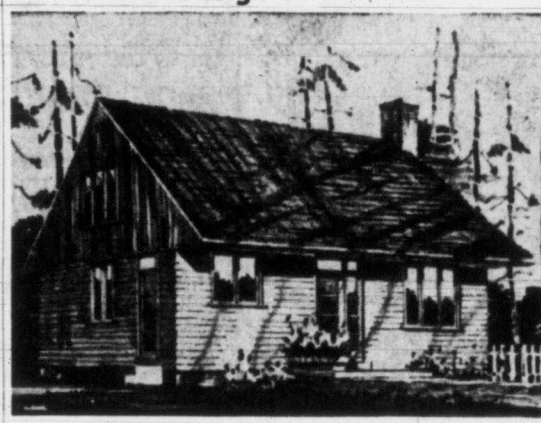
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Some 80 per cent of new houses being built in Canada today are inadequately wired, according to a leading Canadian electrical wiring authority.

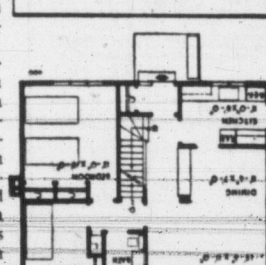
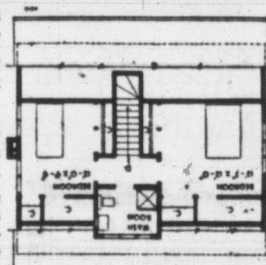
R. E. Bailey, chairman of the Canadian Electrical Manufacturers Association's adequate wiring committee, told group of experts attending the group's ninth annual meeting at Niagara Falls that "altogether too many of our new homes are being planned according to minimum standards with little thought given to the prospective owner's electrical requirements. Much of the blame for this unfortunate situation is being laid on the doorstep of our builders or electrical contractors, when actually the responsibility for an adequately wired home rests largely on the shoulders of the prospective owner."

The solution to the problem can be found only through a large-scale educational program, explained Mr. Bailey, who is also vice-chairman of the Canadian Adequate Wiring Bureau. "It is an unfortunate fact," he pointed out, "that the majority of our young married couples today have absolutely no conception of what an adequately wired home can mean to them in terms of convenience and economy. As a result, thousands of our new homes are electrically obsolete the day they are completed."

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Taking no chances on missing "daddy" when he returned from Korean duty in the destroyer HMCS Athabaskan Friday, Linda, five, and Dale, four, carried welcome-home signs. The happy father is PO James Fee, of Victoria. Mother was on hand, too. Despite pouring rain, more than 600 welcomed "Atha-B" home. (RCN Photo.)

GIANT NORTH B.C. PROJECT

Frobisher Ready to Start In '54 Yukon M.P. Reports

EDMONTON (CP) — James Aubrey Simmons, Liberal member of Parliament for the Yukon, said here Friday night a pilot plant will be built next year to start a \$1,000,000 power and ore-smelting development in the Yukon and north-western B.C.

Mr. Simmons said Ventures Limited and its subsidiaries, Frobisher Ltd. and Quebec Metallurgical Industries Ltd., have been encouraged by their year of investigation into the mineral and power potential of the northern territory.

The companies saw great possibilities for water storage during the low-flow winter months in such lakes in the Upper Yukon River basins as Atlin Lake and with construction in stages over a period of years, regulated by market demands, some 4,300,000 to 4,500,000 horsepower can be developed," he said.

Mr. Simmons said he had been advised that the major plan is to locate a large industrial site on the Taku River, just east of the Alaska-British Columbia border. This site would be 40 miles from main generating stations and 20 miles from deep water on Taku Inlet, west of Juneau, Alaska.

Mr. Simmons made the announcement in an interview while passing through Edmonton to his home in Whitehorse, Y.T. He was called home from Ottawa because of his mother's illness.

Anti-Dumping Law May Check Import Of American Bulbs

Anti-dumping regulations, already applied to cut flowers from the United States, may be applied to bulbs. Ray Woodbridge told a B.C. Bulb Growers' Federation meeting at Loughheed's Banquet Club Friday.

The regulations would prevent foreign products from being sold at prices lower than the normal market value in this country, he said.

Ralph Macomber, Fraser Valley bulb grower, was elected president of the federation. He succeeds Capt. C. R. Wilson of Saanichton.

Other officers elected included Archie Bain, Saanich, secretary, and W. H. McNally, Saanich, auditor. Ray Woodbridge and J. Houlahan, Saanich, and Les Brown and Norman Cochrane, Fraser Valley, were named to the board of directors.

The meeting was continuing today.

This morning there were reports from executive officials.

Other speakers included George Gregory, lawyer; Charles Walls, secretary manager of the B.C. Federation of Agriculture; Herbert P. R. Brown, chartered underwriter and casualty underwriter, and Dr. C. J. Gould, officer in charge of bulb research in Washington.

Yule Shopping Rush No Help To Job-Seeking Victorians

The Christmas shopping season, which in other years provided many temporary jobs, so far this month has had little effect on the employment situation, according to G. A. Mudge, manager of the National Employment office here.

Mr. Mudge said stores and restaurants, a source of employment at this time of the year, reported business as good but not sufficiently active to warrant the taking on of extra help yet. This particularly af-



BUSINESS CAPSULE

By E. McLEAN, Times Business Editor

New Fort St. John Well Biggest B.C. Gasser Yet

Thirty-four million cubic feet of natural gas per day spouted this week from Pacific Petroleum No. 30, in the Fort St. John field. This makes No. 30 the biggest well yet discovered in northeastern B.C.

The test-flow is latest evidence there is abundant natural gas in B.C.'s Peace River to supply Westcoast Transmission's proposed pipeline to Vancouver and Pacific Northwest communities.

But because Westcoast's project must await U.S. Federal Power Commission permission for the U.S. section of the line, B.C.'s big new gasser has been capped, like most of the other 28 gassers brought-in there since 1951. Pacific Petroleum drilled 17 of these successful wells and has reported ten new gassers within the last month.

Fort St. John No. 30 is almost in the centre of 48,600 acres covered by B.C. oil and gas exploration permit No. 22, held by the Pacific Petroleum group which includes Peace River Natural Gas, Van-Tor has a 10 per cent interest in Permit No. 22 acreage.

The No. 30 well was drilled to 4,836 feet. Initial flow of 8,700,000 cubic feet per day was boosted to 34,000,000 when the well was shot with nitrogen and swabbed.

Previous discoveries on Permit No. 22 indicated gas reserves there of 1,422,000,000 cubic feet. No. 30's test probably will result in an upward revision of that estimate.

Pacific Petroleum is heavily interested in Westcoast Transmission and its current extensive exploration program in the Fort St. John area is intended to prove the availability of supplies for the pipeline that would come through Pine Pass, down the centre of B.C. to Vancouver, and then into the Pacific Northwest.

BUSINESS WORLD NEWS POTPOURRI

Herbert R. Fullerton, chairman, Vancouver Real Estate Board, will be guest speaker at Real Estate Board of Victoria luncheon-meeting in Empress Hotel next Wednesday noon. Mr. Fullerton will talk on "Boards and Bureaus and the Real Estate Business in B.C."

Dr. Lionel A. Cox, appointed this week to the post of director of research for Johnson & Johnson Ltd., Montreal, is a Victorian. He's the son of

Burnaby Oil Refinery Men Vote for Strike

VANCOUVER (CP) — Standard Oil Co. officials said Friday workers in their North Burnaby refinery have voted 62-17 for strike action in a wage dispute. No date for the strike has been set.

A company spokesman said the refinery supplies roughly 20 per cent of the B.C. market

WEEK IN U.S. BUSINESS

Factories Idle; Year Ending on Slow Note

BY WALTER BREEDE JR. NEW YORK (AP) — The usual year-end slowdown was in evidence this week in most businesses.

One major exception was retail trade. Fanned by Christmas shopping, retail volume gained over the previous week. But the rise was considered disappointing.

In most areas, Dun and Bradstreet said, the increase in retail sales was "not up to seasonal expectations."

Steel production ebbed to its lowest point in 16 months. Auto output, which had turned sharply higher in the previous week, showed a decline of 15 per cent.

Stock prices drifted lower. Freight carloadings and paper board production held below the levels of a year ago. There were further cuts in the price of steel scrap, gasoline and home-heating oil.

SOME ADVANCES

Not all the indicators pointed downward, however. Heavy construction contract awards registered a steep advance; money in circulation set a record for the second week in a row.

Signs continued to multiply that manufacturers in some key lines were deliberately marking time until 1954 so they could come back in the first quarter.

The drop in auto output resulted partly from model changeover operations at Ford. There was increasing evidence that the industry was dragging its feet in order to give dealers a chance to clean out unsold stocks of 1953 models.

AUTO WORKERS IDLE

Chrysler and Dodge, cutting back production of 1954 cars, laid off 3,850 workers. Nash, which has also been making 1954s for some time, announced an eight-day shutdown of its auto assembly lines starting Dec. 21. The reason, said Nash, was to "keep in step with the current market."

There were conflicting views of the volume of unsold cars in dealers' hands. It was broadly hinted, however, that once the 1953 clean-up problem had been

solved, a rip-roaring production race would be on in earnest.

Some steel mills were reported to have lowered January production schedules because consumers have not been working off their inventories as quickly as had been expected.

Marked Increase In U.K. Capital Sent to Canada

OTTAWA (CP) — Foreign businessmen, mostly Americans, increased direct investment in Canadian industry by \$26,000,000 in the first nine months of 1953, the bureau of statistics estimated today. Also noted was a "marked increase" in the inflow of capital from United Kingdom.

This was a jump of \$14,000,000 from the \$246,000,000 shipped into Canada during a similar 1952 period.

In the three months of July-September, investors moved about \$90,000,000 into Canada, a rate slightly higher than the first half of the year. And though about 90 per cent of the nine-month total originated in the U.S., the bureau observed a "marked increase" in funds from the United Kingdom.

About 45 per cent of the new capital went into Canada's oil industry. Another 30 per cent went into mining.

Consolidated Mining and Smelting, 40 cents plus 20 cents, payable Jan. 15; record Dec. 18; ad Dec. 17. Union Gas of Canada, 35 cents, payable Feb. 1; record Jan. 4; ad Dec. 31.

TORONTO REVIEW

Low and Slow, Most Prices Dip

By BOB JOHNSTONE Canadian Press Staff Writer

Slow and low. That was the week's stock market activity. Trading in New York, Montreal and Toronto was quiet as prices dipped in most groups, and the recent dullness of all markets continued. However, the Toronto and New York markets ended the week on a more optimistic note.

Toronto trading saw base metals taking the biggest losses and it was that group which showed an upward trend toward the close of Friday's session. Consolidated Smelters led the base metals lower.

Most senior base metals followed Consolidated's lower trend, although juniors were mixed throughout most of the week's sessions.

Industrials were lower on the Toronto market as financial houses and utilities, the recent mainstays of the group, slipped in mixed trading. Papers, although generally strong, showed a few weak spots. Textiles gained slightly.

Western oils were lower most of the week, although Thursday saw a rally that put the group in winning territory. Friday's trading was mixed, however, and the group was lower at the close despite a determined last hour comeback attempt.

The Friday-to-Friday Toronto index comparison showed industrials down 2.79 at 309.79, golds down .87 at 66.26, base metals down 3.83 at 141.02 and western oils down 1.88 at 86.90.

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LONDON — British prospectors have discovered a new oil field in southern Iraq. The find was made not far from Anglo-Iranian Oil Co.'s giant Abadan refinery, which long has been idle as a consequence of Iran's oil nationalization program sponsored by the deposed Mosaddegh.

The new strike was made at Rumaila, Iraq, about 20 miles west of British Iraq Petroleum Co.'s Zubair field, discovered in 1948 and now containing more than 20 proven oil wells.

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Every province has a waiting list for telephone service

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The demand for telephone service has been greatly accelerated in recent years by higher incomes and the development of "telephone consciousness." This has strained both publicly owned and privately owned telephone resources in Canada as it has in most other countries in the world.

Now almost every business man and family wants a telephone. In British Columbia the problem is particularly acute, since this province is growing faster than any other. Despite this, B.C. now ranks second of the Canadian provinces in number of telephones per 100 population, while Vancouver is the second city in Canada by the same index. More and more people and businesses are coming to British Columbia and with them come requests for more and more telephones.

One third of the B.C. Telephone Company's 300,000 telephones were installed within the last five years. Between 1948 and 1953 this company has put in an average of 20,000 telephones each year.

It's true that B.C.—just as every other province in Canada—does have a waiting list for telephones. However, to meet this demand, a record program of expansion and improvement has been underway for some time and is continuing. Right now \$25 million is being spent for expanding service in the largest program of development in B.C. Telephone history.



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CHURCH PAGE

By LANCE H. WHITTAKER

A newcomer to Victoria is amazed that the Times Fund for Korean children should have rolled up \$3,000 in less than a week.

His amazement is explained by the fact that he is a newcomer.

The response is no surprise. Victoria has a reputation for generosity in times of crisis, a reputation that is not surpassed by any city in Canada.

Still, few campaigns have evoked such enthusiasm, not only among Times readers but among Times staffers.

When a single dollar will feed five Korean children for a month there is deep satisfaction in having even a small role to play in this humanitarian work.

The fund so far will feed 15,000 tots for a month, and we hope will well double that.

Combined with the continuing efforts of churches and church women's organizations to supply the Koreans with clothes and shoes (the Society of Friends group here has done a wonderful work) we can feel we have made a collective Christmas present that is in the spirit of his teaching.

Many city churches have scheduled special gift services between now and Christmas which will build the total.

Giving a lead is Metropolitan United Church school which will join the congregation to-morrow morning in the annual white gift service of clothing and money, to go to Korean relief.

Sweet Trebles Sing Old Story Of Yule Theme

Metropolitan Filled For Carol Concert

By AUDREY S.T.D. JOHNSON

First of the season's programs of Christmas music was one that has become a part of Victoria's cherished Yuletide ceremonies. The Festival of Christmas Carols was presented this year entirely by the elementary and high schools of Greater Victoria, with the assistance of Charles Palmer, organist.

Ivor Curtis, carillonneur, and Frank Tupman, who led the community carol singing, were filled to capacity for the event, which was sponsored by the Lions' Club, with proceeds in aid of the Pioneer Branch of the Sixty-Up Club.

It was interesting to note the individuality expressed in the presentation of the carols and Christmas music, especially by the high schools, although the pure treble voices of the younger children were in themselves a delight and charmingly appropriate to the spirit and theme of the occasion.

Choice of music revealed excellent taste; elementary schools singing simple, homespun carols in a simple, unaffected style with no forcing of the youthful voices.

Mount View High School, divided into junior and senior grade clubs and accompanied, respectively, by Miss Joan Atkinson and Miss Marlene Hunt, ranged through Bohemian, English, Tyrolean and Chilean songs celebrating the Nativity. W. C. Ozard conducted the boys and the girls' double quartets from Esquimalt High School and this group concluded with "As Joseph Was a Walking," sung by boys and girls in a mixed double quartet. Their accompanist was Miss Margaret Mackay.

Two ancient carols were sung by Mount Douglas High School choir, lead by Gilbert Brown and accompanied by Miss Merle Emery. But the most ambitious presentation was that of the Victoria High School girls' choir. This large ensemble had a most effective arrangement. They entered the choir stalls from either side, singing as a procession "What Child Is This?" (tune of Greensleeves) and left in the same manner to the old German carol, "Good Christian Men Rejoice."

Miss Norma Douglas conducted them in two numbers, one of which was "Alleluia," from a Bach cantata, and accompanied by Charles Palmer at the organ and Victoria High School instrumental ensemble.

Willem Bertsch conducted a creditable performance of "He Shall Feed His Flock," from the "Messiah." At the piano were Miss Joanne Dawson and Miss Daphne Chan.

The instrumental ensemble also played Bach's "Sheep May Safely Graze," melody by Gluck, and a group of carols under direction of Mr. Bertsch.

Elementary schools taking part were Burnside lead by Miss Georgina Watchorn, with accompanist, Miss Gwyneth Davies; Sir James Douglas, Miss Kay Ledger with Miss Doris Bancroft, and Doncaster, Miss Martha Ferguson, with Gilbert Brown.

Dr. Henrietta Anderson, introduced by John Gough, municipal inspector of schools, addressed the audience briefly on activities of the 60-Up Club. Dr. F. E. H. James pronounced the benediction.

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ST. MARY'S, OAK BAY
Holy Communion, 8.30 a.m.; matins and evensong, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. The Rev. J. S. P. R. Snowden will be preacher. Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. The Rev. J. S. P. R. Snowden will be preacher. Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. The Rev. J. S. P. R. Snowden will be preacher. Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m.

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The church school will be held at both services. The 11 a.m. service will be White Gift Service. At 7.30 p.m. the sermon topic will be "Behold Satan Like Lightning Fall From Heaven." Holy Communion, 8.30 a.m. After the evening service a missionary film entitled "Lifting India's Shadows" will be shown. St. Alban's-Holy Communion, 11 a.m. St. John's-Holy Communion, 7.30 p.m. Rev. W. E. Greenhalgh.

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Queen's Christmas Message To Be Carried by CBC Twice

TORONTO (BUP)—The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation announced a full Christmas Day schedule today, including two broadcasts of the Queen's Christmas message, originating in Auckland, New Zealand.

The CBC said all commercial programs on the Trans-Canada network had been cancelled for the day.

The Queen's message will be carried first at 10 a.m. and repeated at 10.05 p.m. (7 a.m. and 7.05 p.m. PST).

It will be preceded in the morning by an hour-long round-the-world broadcast of Common-

wealth greetings. Canada's portion of French Canadian school children and a broadcast from the northern Manitoba mining town of Lynn Lake.

Church services will be broadcast from the Church of St. Stephen, Fort Chambly, Que., at 11 a.m. (8 a.m. PST).

A variety show for Canadian servicemen is scheduled for 7.30 p.m. (4.30 PST) and a performance of Hansel and Gretel by the Toronto Symphony Orchestra for 8.30 p.m. (5.30 p.m. PST).

Family Carol Service For Wilkinson United
A family carol service, accompanied by a string orchestra, will be held in the United Church, Wilkinson Road, Sunday, at 7.15 p.m.

The service will be followed by a special Christmas film, vocal solos, and a featurette movie, "The Guest."

The movie is an adaptation of Leo Tolstoy's famous story, "Where Love Is, God Is."

Refreshments will be served by the Ladies Auxiliary.

METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH
Pandora at Quadra
Rev. F. E. H. James, B.A., D.D., D.Lit.
Director of Music: Mr. Charles Palmer, M.A., Osm.
ARCM, ARCO.

ANNUAL WHITE GIFT SERVICE
Nativity Scene and Presentation of Wise Men
Church School and Congregation participating with gifts of clothing and money for Korea.
The Sacrament of Infant Baptism
7.30 p.m.—"What If Christ Had Not Come?"

St. Aidan's United Church
Richmond and Cedar Hill Crossroads
Minister: Rev. J. L. W. McPherson, M.A., D.D.
Organist: Choir Leader: Margery M. Vaughan, L.R.S.M., Mus. G. (Pres.)
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Christmas Stewardship
7.30 p.m.—Gathering
The Minister Preaches

Fairfield United Church
Five Points
Pastor: Rev. W. Allan
Organist: William McNeil
SERVICES IN THE SUNDAY SCHOOL ROOMS BECAUSE OF CHURCH REDEMPTION
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—"KNOWING GOD OTHER THAN BY HEARSAY"
7.30 p.m.—"LEAVE US ALONE"
Visitors Cordially Invited

Centennial United Church
Gorge Road near Government St.
Minister: Rev. J. L. W. McPherson, M.A., D.D.
Director of Music: Peter Copeland
Organist: Margaret Wilmshurst
11.00 a.m.—"GOD'S FINAL FLEA"
Rev. Douglas B. Carr, B.A., B.D.
7.30 p.m.—C.G.I.T. Vesper Candle Light Service
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School and Nursery
All Are Welcome

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Downtown-Douglas Street at Broughton
Rev. J. L. W. McPherson, M.A., D.D.
Organist and Choirmaster: C. C. Warren, L.R.S.M., A.T.C.M.
11.00 a.m.—The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
7.30 p.m.—"The Crucified King"
WE WELCOME VISITORS

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Fernwood at Gladstone
Rev. James F. Smith, Minister
Choir Director: Mrs. Alma T. Witlick, A.T.C.M., R.M.T.
11.00 a.m.—"A FATHER'S CHRISTMAS REFLECTIONS"
7.30 p.m.—"OUR CHRISTMAS GREETINGS"
Take the Haultain Bus to Emmanuel

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Quadra at Nelson—Rev. G. R. Easton, B.A., B.D., Pastor
Mr. Oliver Black, Organist and Choir Leader
Church School—8.45 Junior, 10.00 Senior, 11.00 Primary
11.00 a.m.—"God With Us"—7.30 p.m.—C.G.I.T. Candle Light Service
Soloist: Mrs. Lee
9.45 p.m.—THE PRIOR CLAIM, Moody Bible Film

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
We Preach Christ Crucified, Risen and Coming Again
Pandora Avenue
DR. J. B. ROWELL, Pastor
Sunday School and Bible Classes at 9.45 a.m.
11.00 a.m.—KEEPING CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS
"An Altar To The Unknown God—Him I Declare"
7.30 p.m.—A Vital Message on the Deity of Christ
JEHOVAH - JESUS
Worshippers of Jesus True Witnesses of Jehovah
BAPTIST SERVICE
Young People's "FIRESIDE" at 9 p.m.—All Welcome

ALLIANCE GOSPEL TABERNACLE
Sunday School, 9.45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11.00 a.m.
Evangelistic Service, 7.30 p.m.
REV. W. ROSE from Kamloops, B.C.
A Warm Welcome Is Extended to All

EVANGELISTIC TEMPLE
Apostolic Church of Pentecost—Blanchard at Queen
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class
11.00 a.m.—Pastor R. L. Dean—7.30 p.m.
Annual Christmas Program December 18th at 8.00 p.m.
"THE COMING OF THE KING"
Plus—Film—"THE GREATEST GIFT"
Everyone Welcome!

YOUTH CHALLENGE
at the
VICTORIA GOSPEL HALL
303 Pandora Avenue
Tonight—December 12, 7.45
Speaker: Mr. Stan Beasley
Or Newfoundland
SPECIAL MUSICAL SELECTION
All Young People Cordially Invited

St. David's by the Sea
Cedaroak Bay
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REV. D. O'CONNELL

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The Rev. W. E. Greenhalgh

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CHURCH OF OUR LORD

REFORMED EPISCOPAL
Humboldt and Blanshard Streets
Rev. J. G. Brown, M.A., D.D.

11.00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon
7.30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon
The Book of Revelation
What Is Heaven Like?

What Is Jesus Doing Today?
This is a message of vital importance to you.
Sunday, Dec. 13, 7.30 p.m.

What Was Nailed to the Cross?
Be sure to hear this before you draw your conclusion.
Also hear Dr. R. Matijko give his insight into the story.
Wednesday, Dec. 16, 7.30 p.m.

Seventh-Day Adventist Church
Pandora and Vancouver

How Christian Science Heals
"GOD'S LAW, NOT LUCK, PROTECTS YOU!"
CKSM (1418 kcs) Sunday, 8.48 a.m.
KJHR (950 kcs) Sunday, 8.55 a.m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist
CHAMBERS ST. and PANDORA AVE.
A Branch of The Mother Church The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Massachusetts
SUNDAY SERVICES
11.00 a.m. and 8.00 p.m.
Subject: "GOD THE PRESERVER OF MAN"
SUNDAY SCHOOL 11.00 a.m.
TESTIMONIAL MEETING Wednesday, 8.00 p.m.
FREE PUBLIC READING ROOM and LENDING LIBRARY 404 Yates Street
ALL ARE WELCOME
"The

EATON'S Christmas Time OPPORTUNITY DAY

MONDAY DEC. 14

EATON'S, Canada's Christmas Store is a Convenient Shopping Centre for Parents . . . don't worry about baby-sitters when you can bring the kiddies to EATON'S. You know they'll be "good-as-gold" when they visit Santa in our enchanting Big-Top Toyland, where toys straight from Santa's workshop fill the shelves, and fill young eyes with wonder. Let them shop in EATON'S new Penny-Bank shop for their own Christmas gifts!



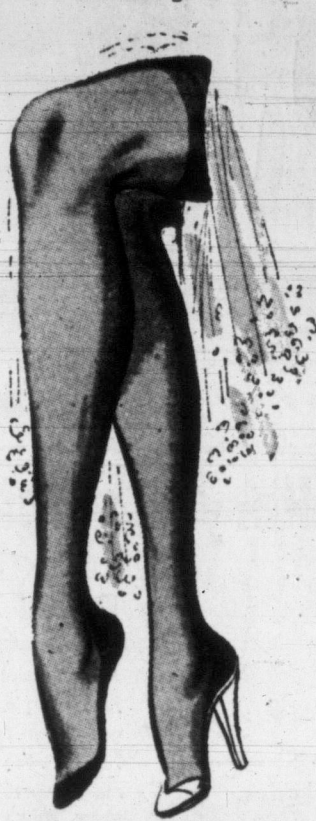
Traveller's Samples of Housecoats

Make "hers" a luxurious, yet practical, gift by taking advantage of this special group of attractive housecoats! Included are satins, the silks and taffetas in wrap-around style. One of these is sure to be her favourite gift this Christmas! Many lovely colours to choose from . . . some with contrasting trims. Sizes 14 to 20 in the group.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

EATON'S—Housecoats, Second Floor

9⁹⁹ Each



Big Savings on Sheer Nylon Gift Nylons

Make your Christmas dollar go farther . . . take advantage of this extra low price on sheer, flattering nylons. All first quality, full-fashioned in 51-gauge, 15-denier and finished with dark seams and slim panel heels. Choose from a pleasing selection of lovely winter shades. Sizes 9 to 11.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

EATON'S—Hosiery, Main Floor

1⁰⁰ Pair



Men Always Appreciate a Flannel Robe

Comfortable, warm, wool flannel dressing gown in beautiful authentic tartans. The low price is made possible by a special purchase and the addition of some broken lines from regular stock! Neat belted style with soft rolled lapels. Also some plain navy and wine robes in the group with cord and tartan trim . . . Small, medium, large and outsize in the group.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

EATON'S—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

13⁹⁹ Each

EATON'S BIG TOP TOYLAND

Hi! Little Girls, I'm Patsy, the Rubber Doll



- My arms and legs move
- I open and close my eyes
- I cry, drink and "wet" myself
- I stand 9 inches tall.

I'm at EATON'S Toyland and I'm at a very special price, Monday! I'm completely rubber and I have my very own hot-water bottle, formula bottle, soap, teething ring, bib and rattle. You can have lots of fun giving me a bath and dressing me up in all kinds of pretty clothes . . . so be sure and ask Mummy to buy me for Christmas!

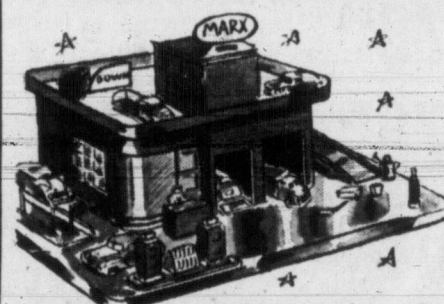
EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

3⁸⁹ Each

EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

For the Boys of the Family

Realistic All-Metal Service Station



He'll have hours of fun playing attendant and mechanic with this set!

Brightly lithographed to look like the corner garage . . . featuring sturdy metal construction that can take lots of wrong turns and poor drivers. All edges turned for extra safety. He'll be fascinated with all the fixin's that come with this service station. At a price that is definitely Santa-pleasing.

- Hoist Elevator
- Plastic Cars
- Wash Racks
- Car Ramp
- Two Pumps
- Oil Rack

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

5⁴⁹ Each

EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Delicious Chocolates for Gift Giving

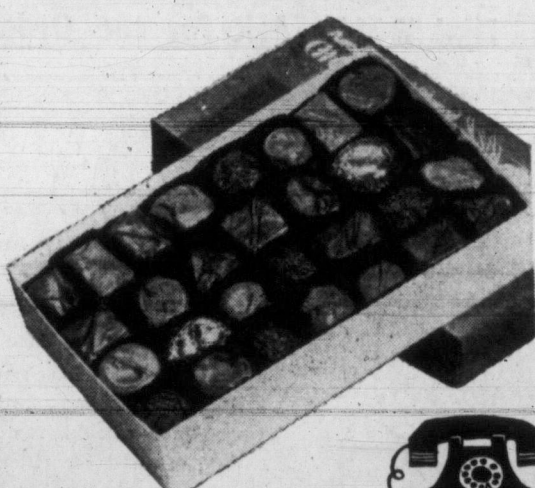
Gay Holiday Gift Boxes! Low Priced! Made in EATON'S Own Candy Kitchen

A delicious assortment of light and dark chocolates, cream and hard centres. Each piece a tasty adventure, each freshly made in our own Candy Kitchen. The box . . . a colourful greeting in its pine-cone decorated red wrapping. The prices, so low you'll want several boxes! Shop early, so you won't be disappointed.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

EATON'S—Candies, Main Floor

1-lb. box, 89^c



The Order Line
Revolving Credit
Penny Bank
Hour Specials

Make out a shopping list and first thing Monday morning, dial B7141 and ask for the Order Line. You'll receive prompt, courteous attention and your order will be filled as carefully as if you had shopped in person!

For Christmas shopping convenience open an EATON Revolving Credit Account. Just decide how much you want to pay a month (minimum monthly payment, 5.00) . . . then pay over a period of months rather than each month in full. For full information enquire at the Accounts Office, Third Floor.

Here's a little shop for little folk . . . with knee-high counters that are just right for children, with gift ideas that are priced just right for penny-bankers. The kiddies will love shopping for their whole family and their friends in our new Penny Bank Shop on the Third Floor.

Look on page seven of this insert for extra big values in 9 o'clock and 2 o'clock specials. These items have been gleaned from all around the store, picked for their Christmas timeliness . . . for their outstanding value!

Gifts for Tiniest Angels

Tots Will Have Fun Pulling These

CHIME TOYS



Miniature dogs and horses just waiting to be loved by all the tots on your Christmas list! Amusing and real-looking with tinkling bells that ring wherever they go! Youngsters will like the bright colours . . . the metal wheels roll along smoothly . . . the sturdy wooden construction takes lots of bumps! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

59^c

EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Visit Santa in his "Big Top" Palace

He has a FREE gift for every boy and girl! . . . a delightful Punkinhead book and a delicious bag of candy. Santa Claus's visiting hours are:

10 a.m. to 12 Noon and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. only

EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building



MORE TOYLAND SPECIALS ON PAGE 3

It Pays to Shop at EATON'S

STORE HOURS: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Phone B7141

THE T. EATON CO. CANADA LIMITED

EATON'S Christmas Time OPPORTUNITY DAY MONDAY



Clearance! From Regular Stock

DRESSES

Imagine a mere 7.00 for a new Christmas dress! EATON'S has 'em... because of a special clearance from regular stock you can take your pick of crisp taffetas, soft wools, rayon crepes, in daytime dateline fashions... one and two pieces, various winter colours. Come in sizes 11-17 and 12-20. Earliest shoppers get best choice! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

7.00

EATON'S—Dresses, Second Floor

Gift Lingerie... Specially Purchased!

Half and Full Length Nylon Slips
Specially purchased from a noted lingerie manufacturer... troussseau-pretty-slips and panties of fine nylon tricot. Embroidered trims, deep flounces and ribbon edgings make them sure-to-please gift items this Christmas!

Half Slips

• Nylon Tricot

Prettied up with nylon embroidery at hemline... dainty ribbon trim. Snug-fitting applied elastic waistband. In white only. Sizes small, medium and large. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

3.95

Full Length Slips

• Lovely Nylon Tricot

Irregulars of smooth-fitting slips with about six inches of eyelet-embroidered flounce at the hemline: Nylon embroidery at top and bottom... comes in white and various pastels. Sizes 32 to 40. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

8.49

Briefs In Nylon Tricot or Rayon

Nylon Tricot Panties

Rayon Briefs

Pert little panties in bright colours of red, green, mauve, pink, blue and white. Snug-fitting with elastic legs. In sizes small, medium and large. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

97¢

Fine quality rayons in pink, blue or white. Have snug banded or elastic leg, finished with nylon trims. In sizes small, medium and large. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

69¢

EATON'S—Lingerie, Second Floor



Costume Jewellery at a Special Christmas Price



Boxed Ready for Giving

A big special purchase brings you an outstanding low price on smart jewellery pieces to complement every wardrobe! You can choose from matched sets of necklets and earrings... in yellow or white metal set with glittering make-believe stones. The colours simulate topaz, sapphire, ruby, emerald, zircon and many others. Be sure to shop right at nine for best choice at this tiny price!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, set

2.59

EATON'S—Jewellery, Main Floor



You CAN Afford to Give FURS

Black Persian Lamb (Dyed)

Trotter Length Coat... size 12. Styled with lots of news... controlled full back, turn-back opera cuffs. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, 1 only at

198.00

NO DOWN PAYMENT
Monthly payments as low as **10.00**

Trotter Length Coat... size 18. With controlled back fullness, turn-back opera cuffs. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, 1 only at

298.00

NO DOWN PAYMENT
Monthly Payments as low as **14.50**

Full Length Coat... size 18. Luxuriously designed with new '54 details. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, 1 only at

298.00

NO DOWN PAYMENT
Monthly Payments as low as **14.50**

Full Length Coat... size 16. Softly detailed, featuring deep shoulders, controlled back fullness. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, 1 only at

378.00

NO DOWN PAYMENT
Monthly Payments as low as **18.00**

Full Length Coat... size 16. A beautifully manipulated coat. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, 1 only at

478.00

NO DOWN PAYMENT
Monthly Payments as low as **16.00**

Also Two Only!... Persian Lamb Paw (dyed) Trotters. Sizes 16 and 18 only. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

158.00

NO DOWN PAYMENT
Monthly Payments as low as **10.00**

EATON'S—Furs, Second Floor

For Smart Giving... Give a Corde Handbag

New Styles... New Low Price!

Charming little bags for daytime and after five wear... you'll want one for your own, more than one for gifting! You'll find such styles as top-handles, pouches and trim little boxes... everyone beautifully lined and fitted... in basic colours of black, brown and navy.

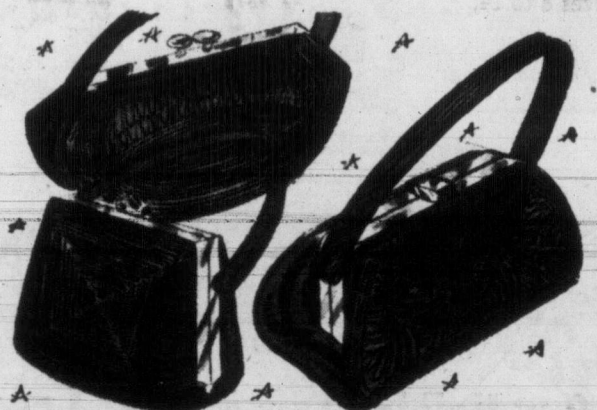
EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

4.99

EATON'S—Handbags, Main Floor

Phone for them!

Dial B 7141, Ask for the Order Line



Special Savings Monday on Women's Footwear



Choose Them Now for Holiday Wear...

Dress Shoes

Put the finishing touch to your new festive dress with a pair of these specially-purchased pumps. High or Cuban heels... in black suede, black calf and black patent leather. Foam cushion insoles for extra comfort. Come in sizes 5 to 9 collectively. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

5.98

EATON'S—Family Shoe Centre, Second Floor



Zipper Overshoes

Popular style at a big saving! Black or brown zipper front rubber overshoes with matching fur collar and warm fleeced cotton linings. Heel fits over most heel heights. Sizes 4 to 9. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

3.99

Santa Says, Give Cosy Slippers!

And Santa will be so right when you give the women on your list a pair of these moccasins! They're extra warm because they have snug shearling collars, fleecy soft lambswool linings... they're extra smart because they're made from natural coloured elk (trade name) with a bowed tassel trim. Soft leather soles and padded heels. Sizes 4 to 9. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

3.49

EATON'S—Family Shoe Centre, Second Floor



EATON Gift Certificates

Always a wise choice for anyone on your Christmas list... and especially for someone who-has-everything! You can buy them in any denomination... and they are redeemable in merchandise at face value, in any EATON store across Canada! Use them to say a very special "Merry Christmas." Buy them at the Cheque Cashing on the Third Floor or the Mail Order Desk, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building.



1/3 Off... A Timely Saving on

English Compacts

Tick the women off your Christmas list with a fine compact chosen from this specially priced group. Included are many attractive shapes and various finishes... from engraved gold-colour finishes to coloured ballerina studies. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1.23 to 3.30

Phone for them!

Dial B 7141, Ask for the Order Line

EATON'S—Cosmetics, Main Floor

Penny Bank Shop



EATON'S little shop devoted to gifts little folks can buy! With knee-high counters so children can see and choose and buy without standing on tip-toe! Gifts for Mom, Dad, Brother, Sister and Grandma... at prices for tiny budgets. This year it's on the Third Floor in the Young Canada Centre.

The **EATON** GUARANTEE "Goods Satisfactory or Money Refunded" **T. EATON CO. CANADA LIMITED**

EATON'S Christmas Time OPPORTUNITY DAY MONDAY



Two Styles . . . Dressy or Tailored in

Blousettes

For the tailored girl . . . choose the tucked front sleeveless broadcloth blouse. Comes in scarlet, pink, blue or chartreuse, in sizes 32 to 38.
For the feminine girl . . . the striped rayon and acetate blouse with full three-quarter length sleeves, tiny collar. Charcoal and white or blue and white. Sizes 32 to 38.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each,

1⁰⁰

EATON'S—Blousettes, Main Floor



Designed With You in Mind!

The Dutchie Hat

Such a little price for such a lot of fashion . . . this Dutchie comes in lustrous velveteen and boasts a jewelled pin on the side. So gay for the festive season, just clip it on and you're set to go anywhere! Have yours in emerald green, gold-colour, grey, red, navy, dark green, brown, wine, pink, rust, copen, beige or black.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1⁹⁸

EATON'S—Millinery, Second Floor

From England Pullovers And Cardigans

Just in time for Christmas shoppers . . . choose them singly or in sets! Classically styled pullovers and cardigans of Superfine Botany wool with full-fashioned sleeves, dyed to match buttons . . . all the features you find on sweaters dollars more!
Pullovers have short sleeves . . . cardigans have ribbon backed buttons to the neck . . . both in navy, dark green, coral light blue or flannel grey. Sizes 36 to 40.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

Pullover

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Cardigan

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EATON'S—Sweaters, Second Floor

Christmastime Values for Young Canada

She'll Like the Fashion of These

Nylon Sweaters

And you'll like the low price! Pullover style with dainty detachable flower clipped to the collar for an extra grown-up touch. Made of smooth long-wearing nylon . . . for easy washing and no shrinking. Choose from pastel shades. Two size ranges. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

Sizes 3 to 6x, each 2.99
Sizes 8 to 14, each 3.29

EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor



Girls' Cotton Crepe Pyjamas

1/2 Price!

Two-piece p.j.'s styled with short sleeves, one pocket, plain or collared neckline. Elastic waist trousers. All-over floral prints in pink, blue or yellow. Sizes 8 to 14.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair 1.37

Boys' Toddler Suits

Rayon jersey suits, two-piece button style with short sleeves. Peter Pan collars. Contrasting colour trims on yoke. Short button-on style pants. Blue and white or yellow and white. Sizes 6 months to 18 months.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each 1.89

EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor

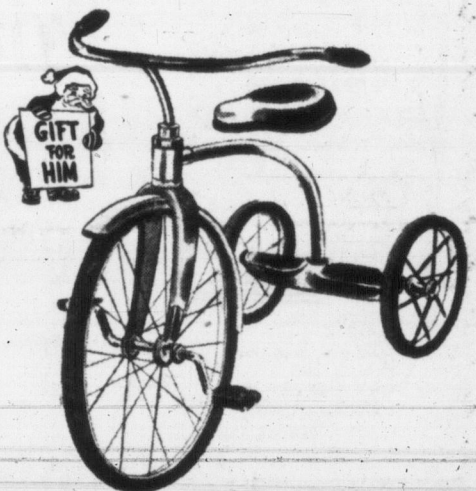
EATON'S BIG TOP TOYLAND

Sturdy Gift Tricycles

A low price on a trike that will win the heart of any youngster Christmas morning. Well made, should stand up to lots of hard playtime wear! Features an adjustable metal seat . . . tubular construction . . . rubber tires, pedals and hand grips. Baked enamel finish in red with white wheels and handle bars. 16" front wheel.

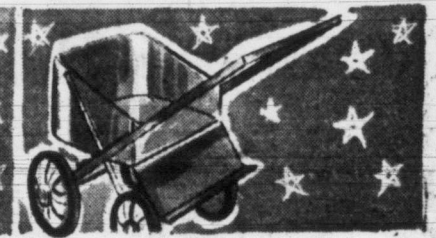
EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

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Special! Doll Buggy

For the "little mother" of the house . . . all metal construction, mudguards, chromium plated trim. Collapsible style with plastic hood and storm apron . . . baked enamel finish in blue or silver-colour. Generous size for her biggest doll! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each 12.69



Doll's Go-Cart

She can take her doll out for a stroll any time with this go-cart that folds compactly just like a full-size one. All metal . . . rubber tires . . . enamel finish. Comes complete with foot rest. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each 4.59

EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building



Boys' Cotton Doeskin Shirts

For school and play choose these sturdy shirts by the armload! Button-front style "Sanforized" for lasting fit . . . with long sleeves, neat collar. Choose from bright check patterns, sizes 6 to 16 years.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

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Gabardine Pants

Rugged nylon gabardine that wears so well, resists creasing . . . at a special low price! Feature belt loops, cuffed bottoms, raised seams, zipper fly. In practical blue, grey or brown. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

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EATON'S—Boys' Wear, Third Floor

Station Wagon Coats

Your best buy in boys' coats for warmth, wear and good looks . . . specially priced for value Monday! Double-breasted style with all-around belt, tinton collar . . . made of weather-resistant nylon gabardine in tan, brown or grey. Sizes 6 to 18.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

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Boys' Medium Weight Underwear

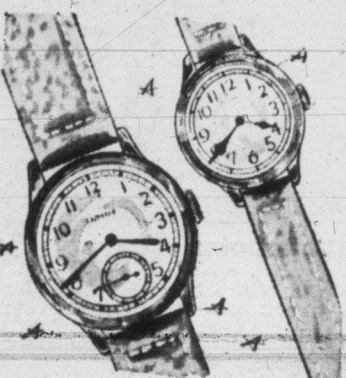
Shorts and vests of a heavier-weight cotton for winter wear. Shorts have elastic waist and short leg . . . vests have short sleeves. Roomily cut for comfort in sizes 6 to 16 years.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

Buy in quantity and save . . . 3 for 2.00

EATON'S—Boys' Wear, Third Floor

69^c



Children's Wrist Watches

Their Favourite Gift This Christmas!

Girls' Watches are in dainty round style . . . highly-polished chromium-plated case with modern dial and hands. Swiss made . . . fitted with leather strap.

Boys' watches, mannish round design with polished chromium-plated case. Some with luminous dials and sweep second hands. Leather strap. Both watches are Swiss made, come in presentation boxes. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

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EATON'S—Watches, Main Floor

Scout Pocket Knives



Grand Stocking-Filler!

Standard Boy Scout knives . . . feature a stag handle, one large cutting blade, leather punch, screw driver, bottle opener and can opener. Has Boy Scout emblem on handle . . . a special feature your young Scout will appreciate.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

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EATON'S—Cutlery, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building



Save! Christmas Tree Lights

Straight-line tree lights at a special low price for early Monday shoppers! Berry bead separators, set consists of 8 bulbs in assorted colours. Series connection . . . tri plug . . . add-on connector.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

set 1.19

EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Mail That Letter Now In Santa's Mailbox

If you can't make it down to see Santa in person, write that letter now, have mother mail it for you in Santa's Mail Box, it will be speeded to the North Pole by reindeer for Santa himself to read!

See the Electric Train

Bring Dad to see the Toy Train Display . . . watch it as it zips through tunnels, over bridges, past stations, chugging and whistling on its way!

EATON'S—Toyland—Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Speedy Service in

EATON'S Toyland Through Four Check-Out Points

Plan to do all your toy shopping in one day! Just browse and choose from the well-stocked self-serve shelves, then take your selections to one of the four cashiers at the four check-out points. She'll total and package them for you and you'll be on your way!

It Pays to Shop at EATON'S

STORE HOURS: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Phone B7141

T. EATON CO. CANADA LIMITED

EATON'S Christmas Time

OPPORTUNITY DAY

MONDAY



Yarn Dyed Wool Worsted SUITS

Well-suited for gifting... these handsome suits at a look-twice low price! Yarn-dyed wool worsteds that keep their crease, look as well-groomed at the end of the day as they did at 9 a.m. Lounge and conservative fittings... plain and fancy weaves, colours and styles for every male! For regulars, tall, shorts... sizes 36 to 46 in the group.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

One-Pant Suit

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Extra Pants, 15.00

NO DOWN PAYMENT

Monthly Payments as low as **4.00**

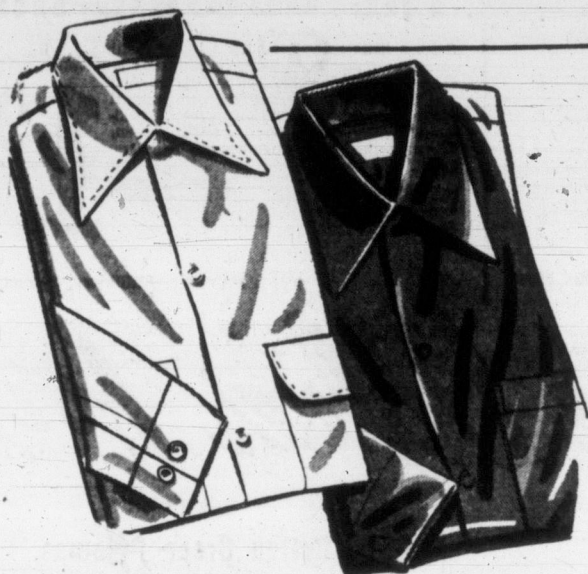
EATON'S—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

For the Outdoorsman... Give Him Warm

Waist-Length Jackets

As smart looking as they are warm... in popular snug-fitting waist lengths with elastic inserts. Long-wearing rayon gabardines well-tailored and finished with full-zipper closings, two slash pockets, self collar... and featuring quilted linings that give utmost warmth for working or for outdoor sports. Greys, browns or navy... sizes 36 to 44. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

11⁹⁹



Men's Pre-Shrunk Gift

Sport Shirts

Expert workmanship and up-to-the-minute styling make these welcome gifts for the men! Tailored from fine quality rayon gabardine in classic mannish styles, they have long sleeves, full button front and two breast pockets... Choose from popular colours of light blue, beige, navy, grey, wine or rust. Sizes small, medium and large, but not in every colour. Pre-shrunk for lasting fit!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

3⁹⁹

EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Warm Cotton Flannelette Winter-Weight



Pyjamas

Cosily napped cotton flannelette pyjamas in lapel collar style with one breast pocket, trousers have taped waist. All roomily cut and well finished in striped patterns. Choose from colours of wine, blue and green. Sizes 36 to 44 or A to E. The kind of practical gift he'll appreciate.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

3⁵⁹

2 pairs for 7.00

TIES

Timed for Christmas gifting... ties in crease-resistant... easy-tying rayons. Pick 'em by the handful, in stripes, plains or all-over patterns... in blue, grey, brown, wine, yellow and a host of other colours.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, 69c each or 3 for 2.00

Shop Monday and Save White, Plain and Woven Stripe

SHIRTS

Here it is! One of the biggest saving events of the season! An opportunity for you to buy handsomely tailored shirts at a low budget-wise price!... to stock up for gift-giving! All are made of fine cotton broadcloth that is "Sanforized" for lasting fit... finished with double-stitched seams throughout. Fused and non-wilt collar styles with single-button cuffs; mostly white, but a few in blue, tan or grey... sizes 14 to 17.

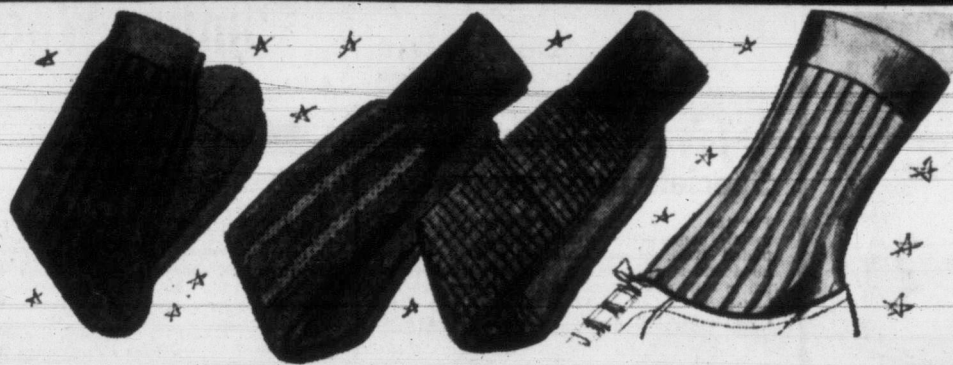
EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

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EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



Special Purchase! Men's Ankle Length Socks



60% Wool for Warmth and Strength!

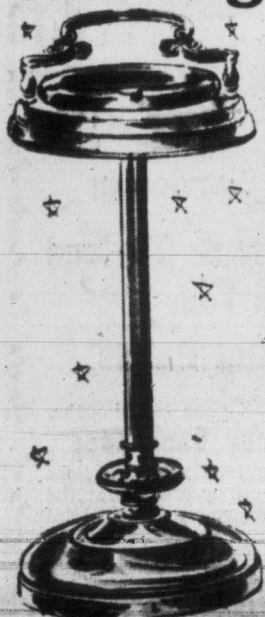
40% Cotton for Comfort!

Men's ankle-length socks priced excitingly low! Choose them now for winter-long wear... choose them now for very welcome Christmas gifts... choose them Monday and really save! Come in a wide selection of patterns and colours, in a mixture of 60% wool and 40% cotton that wears and wears... all are first quality. Sizes 10 to 12. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

78c

EATON'S—Men's Hosiery, Main Floor

Special Purchase... Smart Smoking Stands



Here's a gift idea for the home... handsome smoking stands of metal finished in gleaming chromium-plated fluted effect. You'll find they adapt themselves to both modern and traditionally furnished rooms... coloured columns in koko, maroon, red and blacks. Heavily weighted base, approx. 11 1/2-in. diameter, height about 27 ins. Limited quantity. Be sure to shop early for yours! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

7⁸⁹

EATON'S—Jewellery, Main Floor, and Silverware, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Give Him a Gift That's Warm and Comfortable!

Give Him Gift Slippers



He'll love you for these slippers... they're the kind he can slip into after work and really relax! Featuring wine or brown pliant leathers with platform composition soles and low wedge heels. Cosy high vamp style with shearling (lambswool) collars. Sizes 6 to 11.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

4⁵⁹

EATON'S—Family Shoe Centre, Second Floor

Specially Purchased... For Style and Comfort

Men's Dress Shoes

Handsome styles for business, campus or dress wear... carefully crafted to belie this surprisingly low price! Hard-wearing kip leathers that polish to a high gleam... with smooth composition soles. Moccasin toe, wing tip and plain toe styles in brown kip leather... and moccasin toe styles in black kip leather. Sizes 6 to 11. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

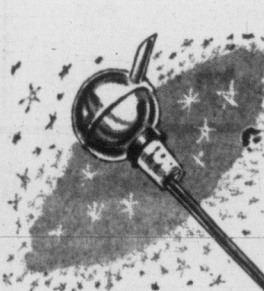
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EATON'S—Family Shoe Centre, Second Floor

Tip-It Jiggers

Timed for Holiday Entertaining...



A special low price on these popular beverage dispensers! "Tip-It" automatic jiggers in 1-oz. and 1 1/2-oz. capacities... both sizes are highly chromium-plated... inside plated to prevent corrosion. Smart for your own home or for gifts! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

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EATON'S—Silverware, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Men, Make Shopping Easy!

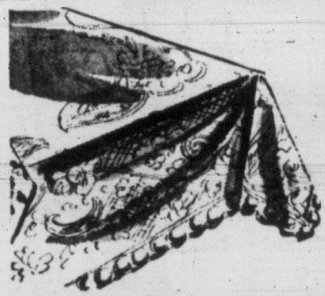
Phone or write to EATON'S Personal Shopper... let her take over your Christmas list and see how quickly and accurately your shopping is done. No worrying about sizes or colours when you let a woman shop for the women on your list! No extra charge for this service!

EATON'S Personal Shopper... Dial B-7141 Write to EATON'S Shopping Service

The EATON GUARANTEE "Goods Satisfactory or Money Refunded"

T. EATON CO. CANADA LIMITED

EATON'S Christmas Time OPPORTUNITY DAY MONDAY

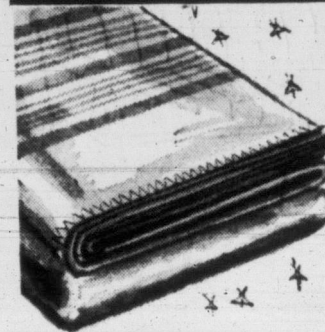


Cluny Lace Table Cloths

The gift that will prove useful right on Christmas Day itself—and for many a day afterwards! Beautifully woven lace cloths with a rich-looking pattern, these come in ecru colour only, measure about 70x90 inches. At this low price you'll do well to buy one for a gift and for yourself, too!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

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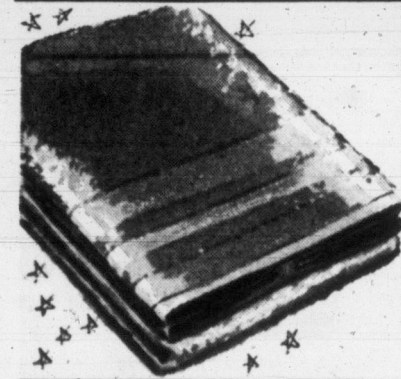


All-Wool White Blankets

Be prepared for the cold nights to come—buy your winter's supply of blankets now, at this surprisingly low price, and you'll have extra savings for Christmas needs! These are snowy white all-wool blankets with blue vari-striped borders and strongly whipped ends, 84x72-inch size is just right for your double bed.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

8⁹⁹



Indian Bath Towels

Over Four Feet Long and Two Feet Wide!

Here's good news for you who like a really large bath towel—and these are not only large, they're extra specially thick and fluffy too! Strong and absorbent, they measure about 27x49 inches, you can choose from peach, pink, white, green or blue, so every member of the family can have their own colour. Buy several for gifts, too!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

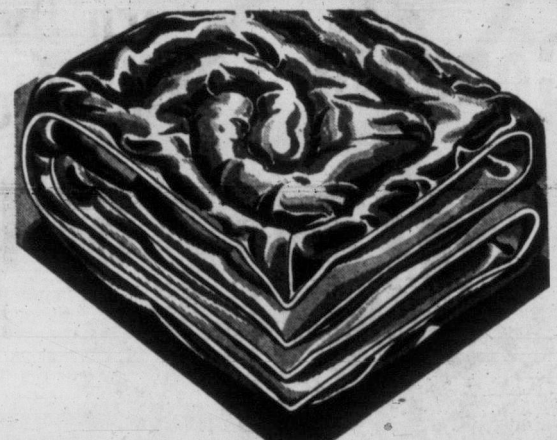
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Wool-Filled Comforters

Reversible comforters with lovely rayon satin covering enclosing soft and fluffy all-wool filling that gives plenty of warmth for very little weight. Scroll-type stitching throughout for added good looks. The colour combinations give plenty of mix-and-match ideas for the rest of your bedroom—they're green/gold-colour, rose/blue, blue/gold-colour, green/rose or gold-colour/rose. Standard size.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

7⁹⁹



Inexpensive Auto Rugs for Gifts



Yes, that's the right price—only 2.99 for these Italian-made auto rugs! It's so low because they're 75% waste wool, 25% other fibres, which gives them almost the warmth of an all-wool rug. Size about 54x72 inches—colour is a checked pattern of green, blue, brown and grey! A handsome gift at an extraordinarily low price! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

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Chenille-Type Spreads

Double-bed size, fine "baby chenille" spreads in plain colours of yellow, blue, grey, peach, lilac, hunter's green, American Beauty, dusty rose and green. Have wavy pattern. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

5.99

Coloured Flannelette Sheets

Double-bed size, warm flannelette sheets in shades of yellow, blue, beige, green. Size 70x90. Reduced from regular stock! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

5.49

Wabasso Sheets, Cases

Seconds, but only slight flaws. Stock up now for the holiday! 81x104-inch size, each

2.99

72x104-inch size, each

2.49

Pillow cases, pair

1.39

Embroidered Cases

Percale pillow cases, finely embroidered in light blue or pink over white. A luxury gift—but you'll need to shop early! Size about 42x36 inches. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1.95

Bath Sets

Chenille-type bath sets specially purchased. Choose from blue, green, pink, yellow, wine, grey, rose, red peach or mauve. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, set

1.99

Bridge Sets

So practical, so good looking—strong rayon and cotton bridge sets in blue, red, gold, grey and green. Table cloth approx. 36x36. 4 napkins. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, set

1.29

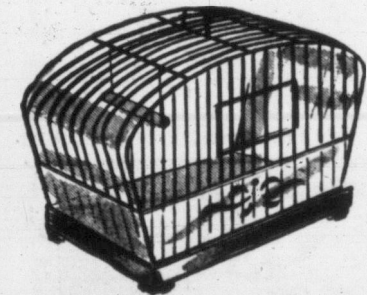
Tea Towels

Irish linen with hemmed ends, in multi-coloured striped patterns. Stock up now and save. Size approx. 17x29. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

39c

EATON'S—Staples, Linen and Bedding, Third Floor

Welcome Gift—A Songbird With Cage



Give a real companion as a gift this Christmas—one of these charming canaries or budgie birds will be a source of pleasure for years to come!

Canary and Cage

Beautiful young canary, from excellent singing stock, complete with handsome chrome-plated cage, for this low price! Choose orange or yellow birds. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, canary and cage

14.89

Budgie and Cage

Young budgie birds, which should learn to talk readily, in colours of blue, green and yellow. Complete with chrome-plated cage. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, budgie and cage

9.89

EATON'S—Hardware, Lower Main Floor



Kitchen Cutlery Sets

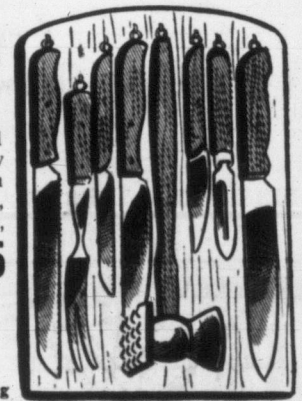
8 Pieces—Swedish Steel

A truly delightful and practical gift—the eight useful pieces are mounted on a natural grained, smoothly finished board which is ready to grace your kitchen wall. Set consists of meat tenderizer, meat slicing knife, bread knife, cook's knife, vegetable knife, meat cleaver, potato peeler and kitchen fork.



Start hunting now for this fine gift! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, complete

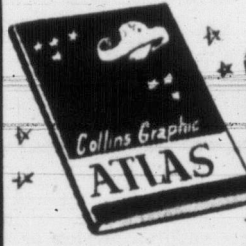
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EATON'S—Cutlery, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Clearance of Books for Christmas Giving

A specially purchased group that runs from classics to children's books... hurry down early and choose from these. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,



Clans and Tartans of Scotland—Silk-tartan bound, each 2.65. Cloth bound, each 1.75. Collins's Graphic Atlas, new revised maps, illustrated 1.95.

Nativity Scene

Make this scene the focal point of your holiday decorations this year... a complete illuminated miniature of the nativity scene for your table or mantel. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1.62

Christmas Centrepiece

Novelty Christmas train that makes a smart table centerpiece or mantel display. Easy to set up... packaged ready for mailing as a gift! Colourfully lithographed. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

50c

Old English Lantern

Here's a quaint way to welcome Yuletide visitors this year... decorate your window or door with one of these illuminated Old English lanterns reminiscent of old-fashioned Christmas. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1.37

Boxed Christmas Cards

For the economical shopper... five groups of Christmas cards, sure to contain just the messages you want to express this season. Be sure to shop at nine for best choice at these considerate low prices!

Boxed Christmas Cards... 24 well-designed French-fold Christmas messages. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, box

69c

Big Value Christmas Box... contains 25 cards and envelopes in bright holiday designs and colours. For personal signatures. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, box

69c

50 Boxed Cards... suitable for all members of your family to send. Attractive seasonal designs. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, box

98c

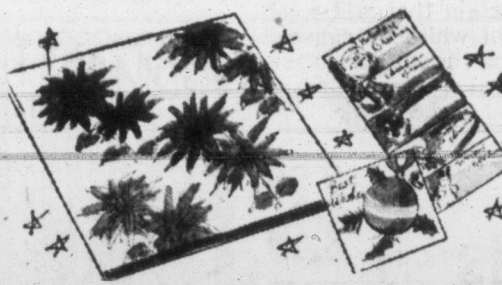
22 Boxed Cards... quality cards boxed exclusively for EATON'S by a well-known maker. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, box

98c

16 Boxed Cards... box of 16 French-fold greeting cards... all attractive winter scenes. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, box

59c

EATON'S—Stationery, Main Floor



Gift Wrap Assortment

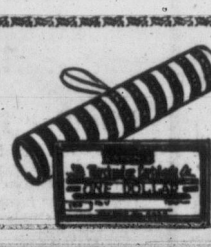
Solve your Christmas wrapping problems with this economy-priced box... contains 7 sheets of gay Christmas-designed, gift-wrapping paper, approx. 20x30... 5 sheets economy-size, 15x20 wrapping paper... 10 Christmas tags... 2 French-fold enclosure cards. The box itself makes an attractive gift box! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, box complete

69c

EATON'S—Stationery, Main Floor



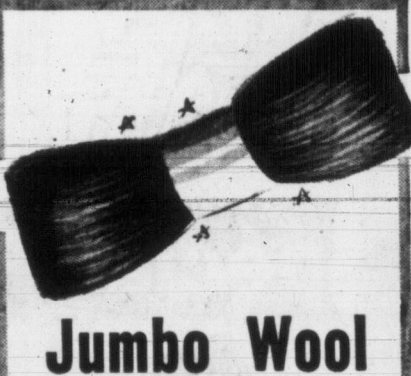
MAIL ORDERS
Write to EATON'S Shopping Service



Gift Certificates
Gift idea for almost everyone on your Christmas list... and especially for the person who has everything! Choose an EATON Gift Certificate in any denomination... they are redeemable in merchandise at face value. Buy them at the Cheque Cashing on the Third Floor, also the Mail-Order Desk, House Furnishings Building.



Phone Orders
Dial 87141
Ask for the ORDER LINE



Jumbo Wool

For Quick Gift Knitting
For those heavy outdoor sweaters everyone in the family likes... choose this quick-knit jumbo wool now and start on gift sweaters, toques, mittens! You'll find a wide choice of colours in approx. 2-oz. skeins. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, skein

69c

4-Ply English Knitting Yarn
Excellent quality for socks, sweaters and practically all your knitting needs... at an outstanding saving! Good colour choice. Approx. 1-oz. skein. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, skein

25c

Crimpset Nylon Yarn
Made by a well-known manufacturer... crimpset nylon that's stretch-resistant and long wearing. Good colours... approx. 1-oz. ball. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, ball

39c

3-Ply Blended Yarn
With nylon and rayon added for extra strength and wear. Assorted colours... approx. 1-oz. ball. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, ball

25c

Satin Cushions
Lovely, soft, quilted rayon satin cushions, excellent for Christmas gift or for yourself. Several colours to choose from. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2.79

EATON'S—Wools and Fancy Goods, Third Floor

The Penny Bank Shop

On the third floor there's a special little shop for kiddies... with items priced low enough for tiny budgets. Solve the problem of children's gift shopping!

With An EATON REVOLVING CREDIT ACCOUNT With NO DOWN PAYMENT

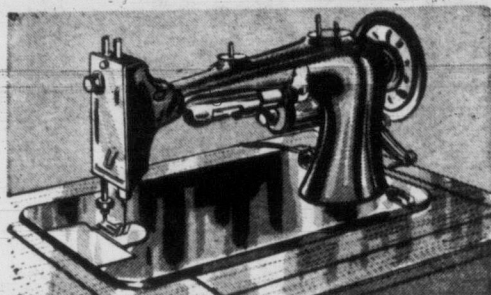
If You Will Pay Each Month 10.00 20.00 30.00 50.00
You May Purchase On Credit Up To 60.00 120.00 180.00 300.00

For Further Information Enquire at the Customers' Account Office



EATON'S Christmas Time OPPORTUNITY DAY MONDAY

Console Sewing Machines



This reliable machine is a practical addition to your home... especially at this low Opportunity Day price! Rotary shuttle type with easy knee-action control, comes in lustrous black finish, with walnut cabinet complete with light. Price includes many attachments. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each**

119⁰⁰

NO DOWN PAYMENT

Monthly Payments as low as 7.75

Limed Oak Dinette Suite

A modern designed dinette suite consisting of six pieces. Constructed from fine walnut veneers in a limed oak finish... includes buffet, extension table and four chairs. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, suite**

189⁰⁰

Metal Bridge Sets

An excellent Christmas gift to your family or friends. Made completely of metal in five pieces, including folding table and four folding chairs to match. - Limited quantity... so shop early! **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, suite**

29⁹⁹

EATON'S—Furniture, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Living Room Ensemble

Specially Priced Monday For Wise Shoppers!

What a dollar-wise buy for newlyweds or redecorators!... a group of beautiful living room furniture at an economy-minded price! Your choice of chesterfield, two-piece sectional suite or love seat. Well constructed with hardwood frames, spring construction and covered in attractive, good quality nubby tapestry. Make your choice early Monday morning!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, Sectional suite, each section

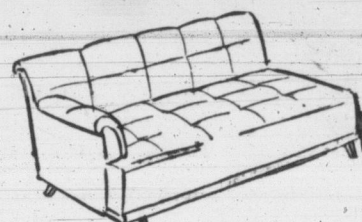
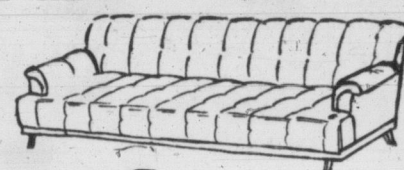
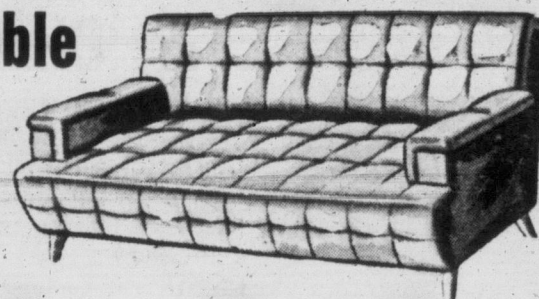
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Chesterfield, each **119.00**

Chair, each **89.00**

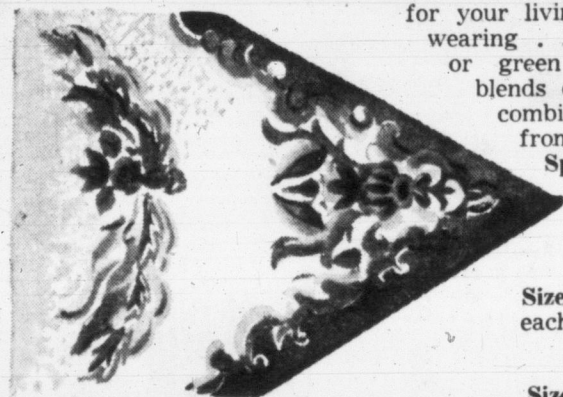
Love Seat, each **119.00**

EATON'S Furniture, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building



All Wool Chinese Hooked Rugs

Rich Oriental designs in all-wool hooked rugs you'll want for your living room, dining room, den or hall. Hard wearing... smart looking. Comes in beige, rose or green grounds with designs of soft, rose blends or beige and brown... plus many other combinations. See them Monday... Choose from two sizes. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,**



Size 9.0x12.0, each **99⁵⁰**

Size 6.0x9.0, each **49⁵⁰**

BUDGET PLAN TERMS AVAILABLE

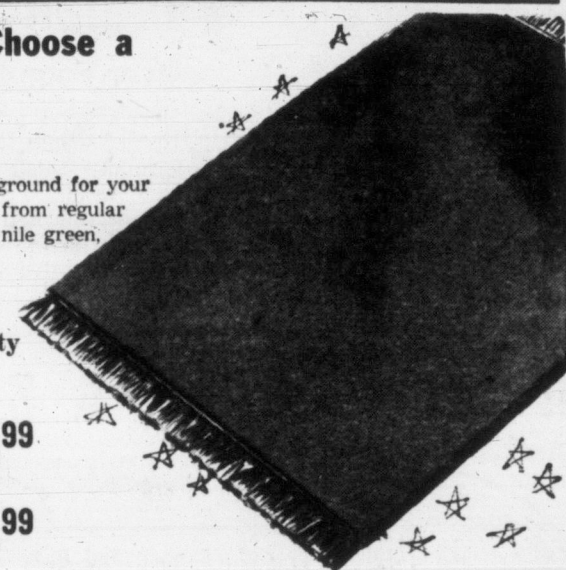
Felt Base Linoleum

Priced low for thrifty savings! Hard-wearing felt base linoleum in practical 6-foot width. Choose from attractive block and floral designs on good smooth surface. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, sq. yd.**

43^c

For Long Wear and Beauty, Choose a British India Rug

For comfort underfoot as well as an attractive background for your home... see these fine British India rugs reduced from regular stock, Monday! Note the thick, heavy wool pile in Nile green, cascade green, grey, red, rose, beige, blue.



EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

3.0x5.0, each **29⁹⁹**

3.0x6.0, each **34⁹⁹**

EATON'S—Floor Coverings, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building



Brighten Up for the Festive Season with

New Drapes

Heavy, full-width drapes that are tailored ready-to-hang! Cut from heavy cotton fabric styled with pinch-pleat headings in a choice of many shades and patterns. You're sure to find a pair to suit almost any room in your home! Completely lined with cotton sateen for extra wearing and cleaning quality. Each drape is about 81 in. long.

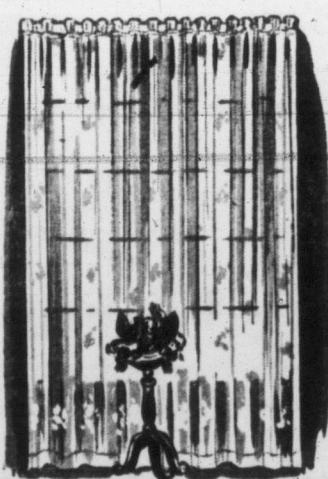
EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

18⁹⁵

"Valeen" Tailored Marquisette Curtains

A sheer lustrous rayon marquisette curtain that will wash with ease. These curtains come in cool white or eggshell shades that will blend with almost any room or colour. Buy several pairs at this special festive-season price! Available in four lengths, all about 42 inches wide. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special**

63 inches long, pair **2.99** 81 inches long, pair **3.29**
72 inches long, pair **3.19** 90 inches long, pair **3.49**



Friiled Curtains

Dotted marquisette curtains in popular priscilla style. Full ruffles and deeply frilled cornice valance and tiebacks. Choose from lovely shades of peach, rose, yellow, blue and ivory. Sizes about 52x81 inches long. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair**

3.95

Bark Cloth

A strong and weighty texture in a cotton cloth of good width. Plain shades that blend well with most other decorative schemes. Use for either drapes or slip covers. Rose, beige, wine, dark green and light green. 46 or 47 ins. wide. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, yard**

1.27

EATON'S—Draperies, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

"Winter" Pianos

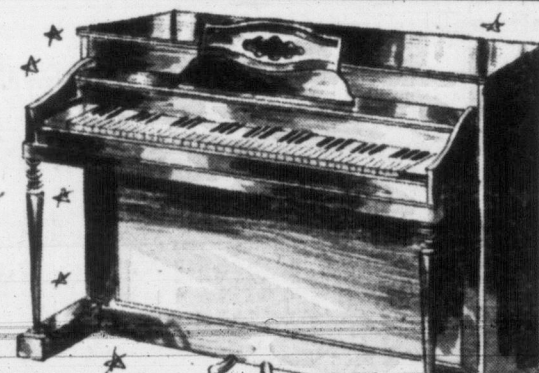
Priced Specially Low Monday!

Run your finger over the keys... notice how easily and smoothly they go down. This is because a "Winter" piano is designed to give you the best in instrument design.

- Full 88-note keyboard
- Rock maple bushing pins
- Size about 38x57x24 ins.
- Solid cast iron frame
- Reinforced hammers
- Complete with bench.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, mahogany and walnut finishes,

599⁰⁰



Reconditioned PIANOS

Here's a wonderful Christmas present for the home... a grand opportunity to purchase a piano at great savings to you. To start your children playing or for your own enjoyment... fine for clubrooms, rumpus rooms, **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each**

249⁰⁰

EATON'S—Music Centre, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Gift Inspired! Glass Trolling Rods

Is your husband a fishing fiend?... If so, here is an opportunity you wise women won't want to miss! Medium-weight glass trolling rods at a special budget-saving price, Monday! Finished with cork handle, adjustable reel seat and rubber butt. Four metal line guides and tip so load is distributed along the full length of the rod.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

15⁹⁵



Boxing Gloves

A gift that boys of all ages would love to receive for Christmas! These are lightweight gloves of good quality leather. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair**

5²⁰ to 12⁴⁰

Golf Bags 20% Off!

Here's an opportunity you golfers won't want to miss! A clearance of golf bags in leather fabric and fabric materials with leather bindings. Finished with a leather boot and metal toe. Shop early for best selection! **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each**

11¹⁶ to 20⁷⁶



EATON'S—Sporting Goods, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Beautiful "Old Master" Prints



Always in style and always welcome gifts... attractively framed "Old Master" pictures. Deep, shadow box frames around favourite subjects such as Blue Boy, Red Boy, Pinkie, etc. Buy one for your friends or family, Monday at this special low price! Gold-coloured frames with either mahogany or ivory-coloured liners. Size 8x10 inches.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2¹⁹

Table Centres

Heavy quality crystal glass mirrors with artistic leaf design in centre. Complete with four crystal rosettes and legs. Gracefully curved ends and smooth edges. A delightful centerpiece for your Christmas table setting. Sizes 9"x13". **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each**

2¹⁹

Enamel and Undercoat

A quick-drying, high gloss enamel for walls, woodwork, furniture where a washable surface is required. White and ivory only. Also flat white undercoat. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,**

Quart **1.09** Gallon **3.98**

Popular Pie Crust Mirrors

Lovely mirrors for living room mantels or bedroom dressers and vanities. Clear reflecting crystal glass with decorative motif at top complete with two rosettes for hanging. Size about 20x30 ins. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each**

8.89

EATON'S—Pictures and Mirrors, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Two-Piece Case Set

Attractive two-piece case set consisting of dress case and week-end case. Made from light coloured plasticized material covered with dark brown leather bindings. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, set**

24.99

Gladstone Bags

A strong, serviceable gladstone with suit hangers and space for shirts, ties and other clothing. Made from light brown, top-grade cowhide. **EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each**

26.99

EATON'S—Luggage, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

EATON'S Budget Plan Terms

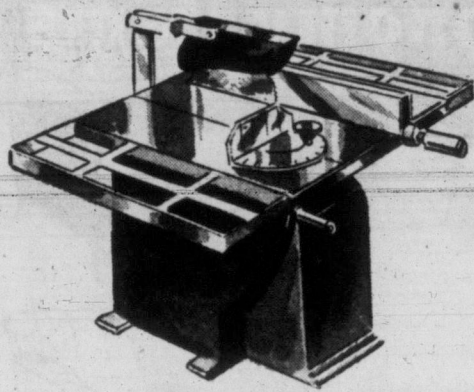
NO DOWN PAYMENT

(Minimum Purchase 15.00)

10 Months to Pay on Purchases under 75.00
18 Months on Purchases of 75.00 and under 200.00
24 Months on Purchases of 200.00 and under 400.00
Up to 36 Months on Purchases of 400.00 and over

An equitable carrying charge is made for this accommodation.

EATON'S Christmas Time OPPORTUNITY DAY MONDAY



A Gift for the Home Builder!

8-in. Tilt Table Bench Saw

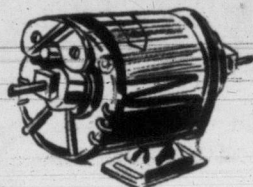
Is the man in your home having trouble doing those odd-repair jobs or is home-building his hobby? ... if so, don't miss this special saving on a quality bench saw! Made of heavy gauge, fabricated steel with removable insert for dado work. Complete with adjustable guard, mitre gauge and splitter included.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

36³³

Grilled extension ends, each

5.99



Double-Shaft Electric Motors

Precision-made electric motors that will give long service while operating home power tools. These motors have ball bearings and standard mounts. Split phase 110 volt, 1750 R.P.M., 60 cycles.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

1/4 h.p.

28.99

1/2 h.p.

31.99

EATON'S—Hardware, Lower Main Floor



Insulated Teapot

Made in England of crockery in brown only, four-cup size. Comes with a chromium-plated, felt-insulated cover. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1.99

Refrigerator Pan

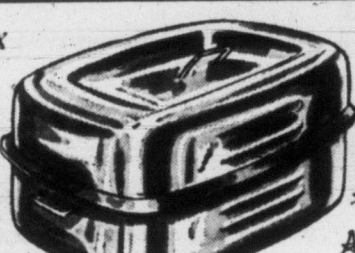
White enamel pan with a lid and side handles. Finished with black trim and rolled edges. Size about 8 inches wide, 14 inches long, 4 inches high. Suitable for vegetables or fruit. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1.49

Refuse Can

Round white enamel can with an inset tread on floor that works lid. Comes in white only. Second, slight imperfections on finish. A useful and practical household item. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

4.69



Oval Roaster

Lightweight aluminum roaster that holds up to 18 lb. fowl, or 20 lb. roast. Size about 12 inches wide, 18 1/2 inches long, 10 inches deep. Drop handles strongly riveted to main body. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2.89

Rockwell Roaster

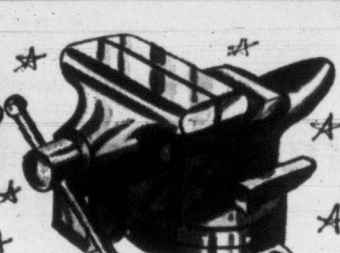
Brilliant blue roaster of finest enamel. Self basting, browns easily, tenderizes. Size about 17 1/2 in. long, 13 1/2 in. wide, 8 in. deep, oval in shape. New safety handles, will hold 16 to 17 lb. dressed fowl, 20 to 22 lb. roast. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2.29

Shopping List

A boon to the busy housewife! ... Handy plastic board that lists on individual tags all the necessities of the home. Just attach the tags to a ring and drop them in your purse! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1.19



Cast Steel Vise

Swivel construction with hardened steel jaws opening to a maximum of 3 1/2 inches. A very necessary and useful item for the workshop. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

6.69

Stainless Steel

"Everbright" stainless steel with copper bottom for quick, even heat. Black plastic knobs and handles. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special,

7 1/2-inch fryer,	3.79
Double boiler,	5.89
3-qt. saucepan,	4.99
2-qt. saucepan,	3.99
Dutch oven,	5.89

EATON'S—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

English Bone China

Teacups and Saucers

Selling at Half Price and Less!

Beautiful cups and saucers by many well-known china makers such as Royal Albert, Thomas Forrester and others ... all reduced to one surprisingly low price! All are attractively decorated in a floral motif in tall and low shapes. One or two of these would make most acceptable Christmas gifts ... also a pleasure to have for your own use. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

89^c



Attractive 68-Piece

English Dinner Sets

One-third off ... Imported English semi-porcelain dinner sets in a service for eight persons. White body decorated with centre floral spray, leaf border and robin's egg blue band. Consists of 8 each teas and saucers, dinner plates, salad plates, bread and butters, soups, fruit dishes ... 2 platters, 2 covered vegetable dishes, gravy boat and stand, creamer and covered sugar dishes. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, 68 pieces

30⁰⁰

EATON'S—China, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Ironing Board Covers

Good sturdy cotton covers with eyelets for fast lacing. Will fit all standard ironing boards. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

49^c

Protect Your Mixer

Sturdy plastic covers to protect your electric mixer from dust. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

39^c

Jumbo Garment Bag

Made with strong two-hook frame and designed to hold up to 16 garments. Made from clear plastic with several coloured bindings. 36-inch zipper. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1.39

Plastic Table Covers

Plain white lace design on solid pastel shade of backgrounds of rose and green. Size about 54x54 inches. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

59^c

Plastic Scuffies

Slip-on plastic scuffies made of strong quilted plastic material in solid shades of wine, green, yellow, blue and rose. Small, medium and large sizes. A lovely Christmas gift item! EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

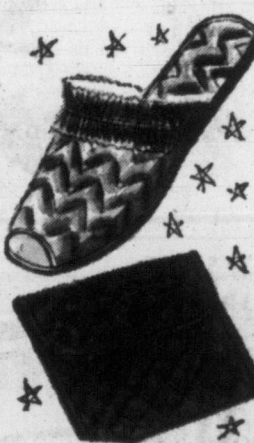
49^c

Hosiery Cases

Attractive quilted satin hose cases with strong plastic divisions that hold up to six pairs of hose. They'll be so handy for traveling or home use and nice for gifts, too! Wine, green or blue. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

79^c

EATON'S—Notions, Main Floor



Imported 32-Piece Breakfast Sets

Comes in the charming and quaint "Blue Willow" pattern ... designed to enhance the beauty of your modern table setting. Set includes: 6 each teas and saucers, 6 breakfast plates, 6 cereals, 6 bread and butters, 1 open bowl, 1 medium platter.

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EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, set

9 o'Clock Specials

On Sale from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. (If Quantities Last)
Please, No Telephone or Mail Orders

2 o'Clock Specials

On Sale from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. (If Quantities Last)
Please, No Telephone or Mail Orders

Regularly 3.95—Half Price

Sport or Work Shirts

• Soft finish doeskin cotton shirts.
• "Sanforized," long sleeves.
• Check, plain or hound's tooth patterns.
• Sizes small, medium and large.

9 o'Clock Special, each **1.97**
EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Regularly 3.98

Girls' Slacks

• Wool and cotton flannel.
• Zipper side closing; sizes 7 to 12.
• Pleats at front, one pocket. Brown, navy, green and grey in the group.

9 o'Clock Special, pair **2.99**
EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor

Regularly 89c

Pyrex Baster

• Just in time for the Christmas turkey!
• Use for basting meats, removing grease.
• Long glass tube, rubber handle.

9 o'Clock Special, each **59^c**
EATON'S—Housewares, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Ready to Light!

Flashlight

• Strong, serviceable case.
• Three-cell light.
• Complete with leakproof batteries.

9 o'Clock Special, each **1.39**
EATON'S—Sporting Goods, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Timely Offer!

Nut Crackers

• Nickel-plated steel.
• Corrugated to hold nut firmly.
• Attractive design on handles.

9 o'Clock Special, each **19^c**
EATON'S—Housewares, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Ordinarily 1.45

Coco Mats

• Size 12x22 inches.
• One to a customer only.
• Strong, serviceable mats.

9 o'Clock Special, each **89^c**
EATON'S—Carpets, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Ordinarily 65c

Cups and Saucers

• Solid colours of pink, yellow, blue and green.
• Low shape, footed, decorated with gilt trim.
• Always in good taste.

9 o'Clock Special, each **49^c**
EATON'S—China, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Reinforced for Long Wear!

Wool Work Socks

• Nylon reinforced heel and toe.
• Sizes medium and large.
• Grey wool in 3-lb. weight.

9 o'Clock Special, pair **89^c**
2 pairs for 1.59
EATON'S—Men's Wear, Main Floor

Ordinarily 6.95 to 8.95

Men's Pullover Sweaters

• Round, crew and V-neck styles.
• Long sleeves, in wine, blue, tan or red.
• Not all colours in each style. Sizes 36 to 44.

9 o'Clock Special, each **3.99**
EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Regularly 2.25

Child's Tea Set

• Pretty decorated white chinaware, 20-piece set.
• Service for four, including serving platter, vegetable dish with cover, teapot, etc.
• For many hours of happy play.

9 o'Clock Special, set **1.69**
EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Ordinarily 89c

Floral Pictures

• Attractive floral subjects.
• Neatly framed, size 9x11 inches.
• Welcome gifts for the home.

9 o'Clock Special, each **49^c**
EATON'S—Pictures, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Regularly 3.50

Toy Grand Piano

• Wide keyboard, 15 white numbered keys.
• Easy to play simple tunes.
• Piano is finished in red enamel.

9 o'Clock Special, each **2.79**
EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Ordinarily 2.50

Shortie Curtains

• Cotton marquisette, Priscilla style.
• Generous full frills.
• Size approximately 27"x54".

9 o'Clock Special, pair **1.79**
EATON'S—Curtains, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

So Cozy, So Popular!

Women's Felt Slippers

• Bound edge in contrasting colours.
• Pompon trim ... in wine or blue.
• Padded heels. Sizes 4 to 9.

9 o'Clock Special, pair **99^c**
EATON'S—Bargain Basement

Limited Quantity

Men's Elderdown Bathrobes

• Small and medium size only.
• Plain green, wine, blue.
• Candy cord trim, cord belt.

9 o'Clock Special, each **4.89**
EATON'S—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Regularly 1.00

78 RPM Records

• Popular records.
• Vocals and instrumentals.
• Interesting gifts at a low price.

2 o'Clock Special, 5 for **97^c**
EATON'S—Music Department, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Regularly 8.95

Boys' Wool Jackets, 1/2 Price

• Wool plaid, with full zipper.
• Doeskin cotton lined.
• Sizes 12 to 18 years only.

2 o'Clock Special, each **4.47**
EATON'S—Boys' Clothing, Third Floor

Regularly 59c

Glass Cake Plates

• Clip-on handle, scalloped edge.
• Leaf and scroll design.
• Nice inexpensive gift; for showers, Christmas or birthdays.

2 o'Clock Special, each **29^c**
EATON'S—China, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Regularly 9.98

Opaque Nylon Blouses

• Tailored and semi-tailored styles, long or short sleeves.
• White, pink, blue, yellow, navy, beige and red in the group.
• Sizes 32 to 38 in these smart blouses.

2 o'Clock Special, each **6.65**
EATON'S—Blouses, Main Floor

Ordinarily 1.95

Tree Stands

• All-metal Christmas tree stands with three legs.
• Red enamel, bowl type for water.
• Keeps tree fresh and reduces fire hazard.

2 o'Clock Special, each **1.49**
EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

Regularly 79c

Girls' Panties

• Nylonized, acetate tricot weave, that ensures long wear.
• Double crotch, brief style, elastic waist and legs.
• Dainty lace trims; pink, blue, white and yellow; sizes 2 to 6.

2 o'Clock Special, pair **49^c**
EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor

Regularly 79c

Egg-Fluff Shampoo

• 8-ounce size, a lovely mild shampoo.
• Leaves your hair soft and manageable.
• Buy a good supply at this low price.

2 o'Clock Special, each **49^c**
EATON'S—Toiletries, Main Floor

Gift for Golfers!

Tru-line Golf Balls

• Well-known make.
• Tough, durable cover.
• An appreciated gift.

2 o'Clock Special, 3 for **1.49**
EATON'S—Sporting Goods, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

Reduced From Stock—Regular 22.95

Men's Gabardine Topcoats

• Sizes 36-44, some tails, 18 only.
• Stylish slip-on model.
• Showerproofed rayon gabardine, in blue, grey or sand in the group.

2 o'Clock Special, each **15.49**
EATON'S—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Ordinarily 29c to 79c

Lace Dollies

• Attractive lace pattern, in rose, maize and green.
• Several sizes to choose from.
• Nice little gift.

2 o'Clock Special, each **19^c to 59^c**
EATON'S—Fancy Goods, Third Floor

It Pays to Shop at EATON'S

STORE HOURS: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Phone B7141

THE T. EATON CO. CANADA LIMITED

EATON'S Christmas Time OPPORTUNITY DAY MONDAY

20-Inch Clear View Television Sets

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

279⁰⁰

For the biggest family Christmas gift ever... buy one of these handsome TV sets! They're compact in size, the cabinet is smoothly handsome in your choice of walnut, mahogany or lined oak finished. The TV set is engineered to give you exceptionally good reception—in picture clarity and true sound reproduction. Buy one Monday at this special Opportunity Day Price!

NO DOWN PAYMENT
Monthly Payments as low as **14.00**

EATON'S—Television, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building



Repeat Special Selling

Westinghouse Hand Vacuums

"Westinghouse"—the little, lightweight cleaner that you may carry around with you anywhere—and use wherever you have an outlet plug. Stair treads are an easy job when you use the "Westinghouse" hand vacuum. Auto interiors stay fresh and clean when you use the "Westinghouse" hand vacuum. Spilled ashes or shavings are whisked away in a jiffy with your "Westinghouse." The price is low—the quality right!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

No Down Payment, as low as 2.25 Monthly
EATON'S—Major Appliances, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building
Telephone Orders—B 7141

19⁹⁵

VIKING Refrigerator

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

199⁵⁰

Designed Specially to Give Full Use of Spacious Interior

You get more than 11.6 sq. ft. of shelf room—more than 8.5 cu. ft. of cold storage space—save many dollars—when you buy EATON'S own Viking at this Opportunity Day Price!

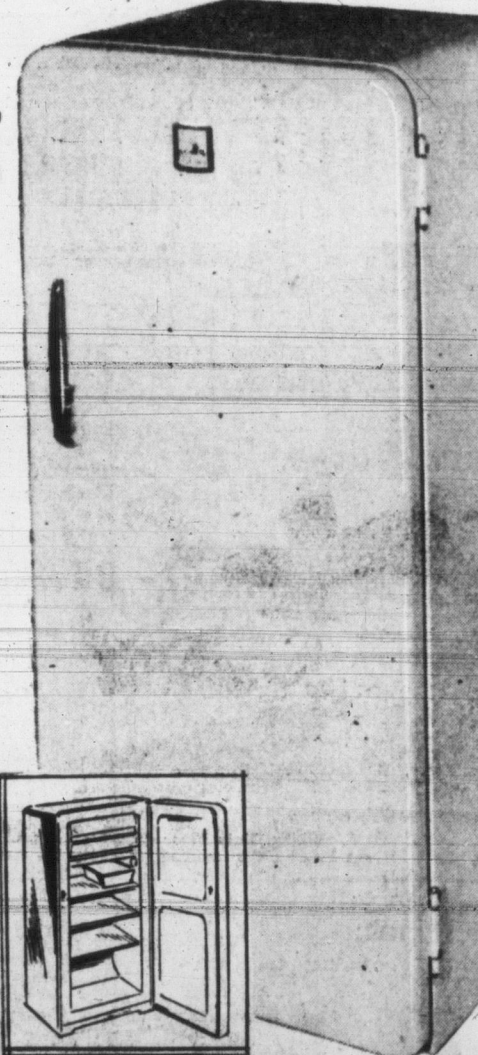
Check these added features:

- Full-width freezer chest
- Down-to-the-floor door
- Porcelain enamel liner (keeps cold in)
- 5-year warranty on sealed unit.

NO DOWN PAYMENT

Monthly Payments as low as **6.75**

EATON'S—Major Appliances, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building

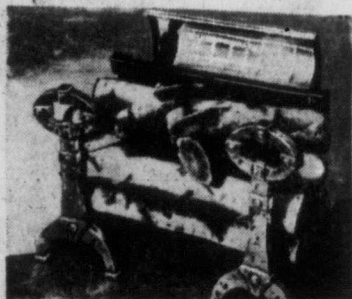


Attractive, Warm Electric Fireplace Grate

Give your home or apartment a cheery, warm atmosphere with one of these birch log, electric fireplaces. Grates finished with black trim and comes complete with attached fire-dogs. Has highly polished copper reflector to give maximum heat. Standard length cord plugs in to any convenient receptacle.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

39⁹⁵



Heating Pad

Handy electric heating pad with three-heat switch... has rose or blue cover. Makes an acceptable gift and you'll welcome one yourself these chilly nights. Be down early Monday for this special value!

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

4⁴⁹

Pin-Up Lamps

A clearance of glass, metal and wooden pin-up lamps grouped to sell at one low budget-wise price, Monday! Suitable for bedrooms, playrooms. Come complete with suitable shades... many styles and designs to choose from.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2⁷⁹

Bargain Basement Economy Items

PLEASE, NO TELEPHONE OR MAIL ORDERS

Women's Afternoon Dresses

Smart styles in popular fabrics... taffetas, crepes and novelties in up-to-the-minute shirtwaist and coat styles. New collar and sleeve detailing. Sizes 12 to 20. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

7⁸⁹

Better Quality Rayon Slips

Choose from the many styles offered at this clearance price... lace-trimmed or tailored, all full-cut... mostly white, some colours, sizes 12 to 44 in the group. Fill your needs at this small price.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

1⁷⁹

Men's Fur Felt Hats

Substandards Snap brims, ribbon bound, in these smart pre-shaped hats... with leather cushion sweat band. Sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2⁷⁹

Men's Slippers

Featuring soft buckskin and leathers in high quality opera and romero style slippers. Some are fleece lined, all have composition soles and heels. Rejects, with only slight flaws. Collective sizes 6 to 11.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

2⁹⁸

A Rainbow of Women's Cardigans

Now you can choose just the colours that become you most... see these soft botany wool sweaters in rose, yellow, blue, green, navy and black. The smart high neck style offers you warmth as well as beauty... Your everyday comfort calls for a wool sweater, whether at home or office... have several at this easy price. Sizes 14 to 22.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2⁶⁹



Nylon Hosiery

Substandards in better quality sheer nylons. Popular winter shades in this 51-gauge, 15-denier hose. Sizes 9 to 11.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

6^{9c}

Snugglies and Vests

Winter weight, fine brushed cotton in snugglies and vests. Warm up in these at this welcome price. Sizes small, medium and large.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

9^{8c}

Rayon Sport Shirts

Casual styles in men's striped or checked rayon shirts... a colour and pattern selection to suit all tastes. Sport collar and 2 pockets. Small, medium and large.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2⁵⁹

Men's Dress Shirts

Fine quality cotton shirts, cello-wrapped, in plain and fancy patterns. Neat fitting collar, one pocket, button sleeves. Sizes 14 1/2 to 17.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2⁶⁹

Esmond Gift-Wise Blankets

Vivid colours in Indian motifs or the luxurious leopard pattern, in these striking blankets. Perfect car robes, bed throws, couch covers, in sizes 54x72, 60x84.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

4⁴⁹

Thick 'n' Thirsty Towels

Dark green, mauve, peach, blue, green or white... offered at this low price. Make up your own gift set. Size 20x40.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

Flannelette Sheets

Warm and cosy cotton flannelette sheets that are so practical for sleeping during cold winter nights. In white with coloured borders... size 80x90.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

6⁴⁹

Bath Mat Sets

Like a ray of sunshine... these gay yellow, rose, blue and green chenille-type bath mat sets will brighten your bathroom. Mat size 18x30, and matching cover, with drawstring fastening. EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, set

1⁶⁹

Lace-Trimmed Nightgowns

You will find beauty with comfort, in these lace-trimmed cellosuede nightgowns. Gift-givers take note... all women will love to have one... or two... of these fine rayon gowns. Assorted styles to choose from in pretty colours of pink or blue. Sizes small, medium and large.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

2⁹⁸

Give Warm Pyjamas

She'll be as cosy as a kitten in purry brushed knitted rayon pyjamas or nightgown. Soft shades of maize, pink or blue, trimmed or tailored styles, in sizes small, medium or large.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, each

3⁷⁹

Cinderella Slippers

Daintily embroidered rayon satin slippers included in this group, or mesh vamp style, with silver-colour dot overlay. Wedge heels in open or closed toe, black, blue and wine... Sizes 4 to 9.

EATON'S Opportunity Day Special, pair

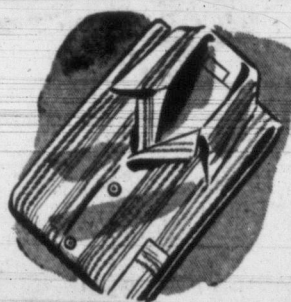


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BY J. R. WILLIAMS



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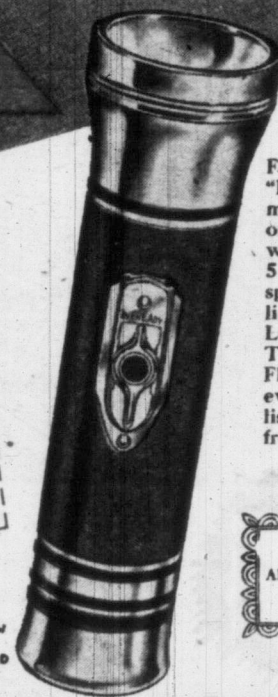
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OLD VIC SAYS: Read B.C.'s most-loved philosopher's cryptic comments on the day's news. On Times' front page every day.

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For Christmas give him one of these **Gillette Gifts**

Any man on your shopping list will appreciate your selection of one of these Gillette Gifts for his shaving pleasure. You couldn't buy a more practical gift for a man, and they are priced to suit every purse.

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10 Gillette Blue Blades in Dispensers—each holding 10 Gillette Blue Blades, 50 double-edge blades in all—provides months of shaving pleasure for any man. \$2.50

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100 Gillette Blue Blades in Dispensers
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Indian Clans Converge for Thunderbird Park Potlatch

By HUMPHRY DAVY
Indian clansmen from many parts of Vancouver Island and the mainland, their wives and children, began arriving in Victoria today for a three-day potlatch and house warming to start Monday at Thunderbird Park.

The potlatch is to mark the opening of a new Kwakwaka'wakw house built by Indian chief and carver, Mungo Martin, and son, David. The house and a new totem pole raised in front of the dwelling, are the latest additions to the park with its native relics.

The potlatch, a gift-giving festival, is the first to be held in Victoria since the days of Sir James Douglas, the first governor of British Columbia. The Canadian government banned the practice in 1880, but in 1951 allowed the Indians to revive the festival which forms the basis of their culture.

The majority of Indians who arrived here to take part in the festival are from Alert Bay, the headquarters of the Kwakwaka'wakw tribe. There will be about 200 Indian guests in all, and many of these will be from Comox, Duncan and Alberni.

Among the Indians who have arrived is Daniel Crammer, of Alert Bay, who will act as interpreter at the ceremonies. Mr. Crammer is a chief and was a close friend of Dr. Franz Boas, one of the most famous anthropologists in the United States who died in the late thirties.

Other chiefs included George Seow, Gifford Island, of the Kwakwaka'wakw tribe, and Tom Omhid, Hope Island, of the Tlaxskikwa tribe. The latter will act as song leader. A feature of the festival will be masked dances performed by Kwakwaka'wakw Indians.

Victorians will not be able to see the festival until Wednesday, the last day of the potlatch. The first day is reserved for Indians only. On Tuesday, government officials and representatives of private industries who donated materials for the building of the house and totem pole, will attend the festival.

Victoria Neighbors At Battle of Polls

Esquimalt's Vote Heavy

Candidates in Greater Victoria's four neighbor municipalities—Oak Bay, Esquimalt, Saanich and Central Saanich—are fighting it out at the polls today.

In Esquimalt, where there is a reeveship challenge, voting was reported heavy up to press time.

In Saanich, where voting is generally heaviest in the late afternoon, and where there is a contest for the reeveship also, the morning poll was light.

Saanich returning officer John Tribe said voting "was not too brisk" but felt a good many of the 16,135 voters in the municipality might be waiting for this afternoon or evening.

Beer parlors and the government liquor stores in Esquimalt were closed today because of the municipal election.

The beer parlors will open at 8 p.m., when the polling stations close.

In Oak Bay, the poll was particularly light and it was acknowledged that there would not likely be any great rush.

REEVES RACES
In Esquimalt it's a race between Reeve A. C. Wurtele and Andrew Whisker.

Out in Saanich, the battle is between Reeve Joseph Casey and ex-councillor Ted Cummins. In both districts, too, there are council and police commission seats to be filled.

In Oak Bay the only public office at stake is a single seat on the police commission. There are two candidates.

In Central Saanich there is a three-way contest for two council posts.

Voting places are as follows: Central Saanich: Municipal Hall, Keating Institute Hall, Brentwood School.

Oak Bay: Municipal Hall and 855 Craigflower Road.

Saanich: Cedar Hill School on Boleskine Road; Cloverdale School on Quadra Street; Gordon Head School on Tyndall Avenue; Cadboro Bay Scout Hall on Penhryn Street; Marigold Scout Hall, 3890 Douglas Street; Royal Oak High School; McMoran's Pavilion; Prospect Lake School on West Saanich Road; Tillicum School at Albina Street and St. Martin's in the Field, Obed Avenue.

Esquimalt: Municipal Hall and 855 Craigflower Road.

Saanich: Cedar Hill School on Boleskine Road; Cloverdale School on Quadra Street; Gordon Head School on Tyndall Avenue; Cadboro Bay Scout Hall on Penhryn Street; Marigold Scout Hall, 3890 Douglas Street; Royal Oak High School; McMoran's Pavilion; Prospect Lake School on West Saanich Road; Tillicum School at Albina Street and St. Martin's in the Field, Obed Avenue.

Polls close at 8 p.m.



Wishing They Were Busy

Time hung heavy this morning for Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson, the two-man election staff at the Saanich polling station in Royal Oak High School. During the first hour, only eight persons voted at their location, one of 13 stations scattered throughout the municipality. Between voters, there was nothing to do but wait. Polls in the municipalities stay open tonight until 8.



'What You Doing, Daddy?'

Tiny Teddy Avry, not quite three, received his first lesson in voting today when he accompanied his father, Ken Avry, into the polling booth at Esquimalt Municipal Hall. This picture was posed before Mr. Avry began to mark his ballots. Mr. Avry, who lives at 488 Admirals Road, is a municipal employee. In both Saanich and Esquimalt, main interest in this year's election is in two-way fights for reeveships.

\$1 Toy or Cash Admission Price For Benefit Show

A new toy worth at least \$1, or a donation of \$1 or more, is the price of admission to an evening of drama at Langham Court Theatre Wednesday.

Beneficiaries of the show, being staged by the studio group of Victoria Theatre Guild, will be 49 underprivileged youngsters whose Christmas will be made brighter by the group.

Invitations already have been sent to the youngsters to attend a party at the Langham Court Theatre Friday night, when they will see two children's plays written and produced by Christina McNabb, some vaudeville, and then will have refreshments.

The party will conclude with the distribution of gifts from a Christmas tree by Percy George, Theatre Guild president, who will play Santa Claus.

Plays at the Wednesday show will include "Catherine Parr," "The Spice of Life," "Victoria Regina," and "By Name Elizabeth."

ASK THE TIMES

Q.—Can you tell me the origin of Ballington Booth, founder of the Salvation Army? Was he at any time connected with the British (armed forces) army? — M. C. T.

A.—The Salvation Army was founded in England in 1878 by William Booth, father of Ballington Booth. In his younger years Ballington was identified with the Salvation Army. He later resigned and founded the Volunteers of America late in 1896. There is no record of his ever having served in the British armed forces.

Q.—What is the size of the moon as compared with the size of the earth? What is the distance between these bodies? — F. J. L.

A.—The diameter of the moon is calculated at 2,160 miles and that of the earth 7,918 miles. The mean distance from the earth according to the American Ephemeris is calculated at 238,857 miles.

By STAN DAVISON

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BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

I always believe everything a policeman tells me, so naturally this story, related by Constable Ian Duncan, MUST be true.

Some years ago a rookie policeman was sent to Craigdarroch Road to investigate reports of a dead horse in that area.

On his return, he set about writing his formal report. But the trouble was, he didn't know how to spell "Craigdarroch." He asked the desk sergeant, and the sergeant didn't know, either.

He went to the traffic office, and nobody there knew how to spell it.

Traffic sent him to the detective office, and the assembled detectives said no, we don't know how to spell Craigdarroch.

The detectives suggested he try the chief, but the chief was in a snarly mood, and growled at the rookie to beat it back to the charge office.

Later on, the usually genial chief's better nature took over, and he looked up the rookie and asked him how he'd made out.

"Did you find out how to spell Craigdarroch?" he asked.

"No, but it doesn't matter," said the rookie. "I went back and dragged the brute down to Fort Street."

Anybody remember E.L.M. of Ross Street? About a year ago, he wrote Between Times to ask if we'd heard about the Indian who put his toupee in his tepee to keep his wig.

After this horrible effort, E.L.M. had the decency to go into retirement for 12 months, but now he has ventured forth again, to tell us about the duck who had too many feathers. The poor thing was unable to fly.

The trouble was, he couldn't get up for down.

E.L.M. also says he has noticed that when the CPR ships come into port here, the passengers all rush to the side of the ship where the gangplank is to be put out.

This, he says, causes the ship to lean somewhat to one side.

E.L.M. wants to know, is this a passenger list?

I rather feel we can get along without E.L.M. for another 12 months.



Really Up a Tree

A collision at Oscar and Linden Friday night left a car owned by L. F. Watson, 1015 Moss, in precarious position. Occupants were uninjured.

FAIR PRESS PRAISED BY CANDIDATES

Several candidates in the recent civic election have expressed appreciation of the fair reports given by Victoria newspapers on the meetings held during the campaign.

Ald. Percy Sourrah, who ran second for mayor, said: "I thought the newspapers were very fair to all the candidates. I thought the reports on the joint meetings were particularly well handled."

J. Donald Smith, who was third, said: "I think it was a fair coverage. I've always said so. I think everyone got an even break."

Charles Hunt, low man in the standings, said: "It was very fair. I think the reporters did a fine job."

Wild Weather Blamed For Traffic Mishaps

Blustery weather contributed to several traffic accidents overnight, but no one was seriously hurt.

A pedestrian was knocked down at supertime at Pandora and Government by a car driven by F. O. Rundle, 2424 Richmond. A cut left knee and bruises were suffered by E. H. Wright, 33, 4330 Douglas.

A chase ensued after a crash-and-run incident at Fairfield and Foul Bay Road.

Elsie A. Miles, 537 Victoria Drive, was in collision with a car reportedly driven by Ernest C. Sargent, 1014 Lyall.

A possible fractured leg was revealed by X-rays taken at Jubilee Hospital of Mrs. Florence Saunders, 2600 Currie, following an accident at 7 p.m. Friday.

Mrs. Saunders was driver of a car which was allegedly struck in the rear by another vehicle driven by Robert Stadler, 1150 Esquimalt Road, at Belcher and Oak Bay intersection. Medium damage was done to each car.

Bruises and shock were sustained by Helena Balderson, 45 South Turner, at 11:30 p.m. Friday in an accident at Oscar and Linden Avenue.

She was involved in a collision between autos driven by A. C. Flett, 840 Victoria Avenue, and L. F. Watson, 1015 Moss, according to police reports. She was riding in the Watson car.

Damage to both cars was heavy.

Following the collision, the Flett car knocked over a street sign, mounted a boulevard and came to rest with the rear of the vehicle resting against a tree with the wheels three feet off the ground.

ORPHANS' FUND DONORS

Following is a list of new donors to the Times-sponsored campaign for the Unitarian Services Committee Fund for Korea war orphans:	
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Mrs. P. R. Nixon, 1265 Roslyn	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rott, 1949	1.00

Colonist Marks Its 95th Year

The Victoria Daily Colonist celebrated its 95th year of publication with a reception in the lower lounge of the Empress Hotel Friday night. Seth Halton, publisher, and Mrs. Halton with Editor Sandham Graves were hosts.

OLD GREY MARE AIN'T WHERE SHE USED TO BE

If anyone sees a bay mare galloping north on the Island Highway they should phone Oak Bay police.

The animal disappeared from Victoria Riding Stables overnight, according to Oak Bay police. A stable door was left ajar suggesting rustlers may be operating in the vicinity.

However, as the mare was brought here from Nanaimo for lodging, police think there is a chance Dobbin got home-sick.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Annual Christmas children's party of the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, will be held on the afternoon of Dec. 22 in the Victoria Ballroom, Government and Cormorant Streets. Secretary C. Gill reported today. Registration of children aged 12 years and under must be completed by Dec. 16 at 5 p.m.

Herbert R. Fullerton, chairman of the Vancouver Real Estate Board, will address the Victoria Real Estate Board next Wednesday at noon in an Empress Hotel private dining room.

His subject will be "Boards and Bureaus and the Real Estate Business in B.C."

Police are searching for someone who threw a large stone through the window of a suite owned by G. D. McNeill, 1301 Fort Street, at 9 Friday night.

No one was hurt by the flying glass and no one saw the culprit or could furnish any reason for the vandalism.

Proceeds from a varied program presented by the Victoria Shrine Band in the Parish Hall of St. John's Church, Balmoral Road, Friday night will go to the church Sunday school, the Church of England's Camp Columbia and the church's Christmas hamper fund.

FUN FIGURES

By J. A. H. HUNTER

Hector the Hound saw a fine fat rabbit 6 yards away. The rabbit, which was directly between the hound and its burrow, and exactly 40 yards from the latter, saw Hector at the same moment. He (or was it 'she'?) made for the burrow at full speed with 5-foot leaps. Horace took off at the same instant, with 9-foot leaps; he's an exceptional hound. The rabbit made three leaps to every two leaps or bounds of the hound. If each animal spent five times as long, pausing on the ground between leaps, as the time it was in the air making a leap, how far from the burrow was the rabbit when it was caught? Answer: Tuesday.

(Note: This epic chase took place in Kootenai, so don't start comparing the performance of these animals with that of our Canadian counterparts.)

Friday's answer: The coffee-stand was 35 miles from Bob's home.

Nursing Home Wing Start Next Week, Winslow Reveals

Work begins next week on the new Victoria Nursing Home. F. E. Winslow, chairman of the Nursing Home Society's board of directors, said today a contract for construction of the 104-bed hospital would be signed Monday.

The board decided November 17 to award the job to the lowest tenderer, Farmer Construction Ltd., but did not enter into a contract at that time because there were certain matters to be cleared up concerning title to the land.

The new home, to be financed on a three-way basis by the city, the province and federal government, is to cost \$397,513.

A spokesman for Farmer Construction said excavation work at the site would begin immediately the contract is signed.

HEADLINES OF THE WEEK . . .

MILWAUKES FIRST SNOW GLISTENS IN DOWN, THAWS IN SUN

BOY!... SURE FEELS MORE LIKE SANTA CLAUS THIS MORNING, EH, MR. POSTMAN?



MAYOR WOULD SUE FOR FREE PORT

GOODNESS! THAT FREE PORT MUST BE GETTING STRONGER. HEAR ITS GOT CLAUDE SINGING 'SUE CITY, SUE'!



RAINS SOAK STOCKPILED FUEL, DRY FIREWOOD RARE AS RUBIES

WOOD! WOOD, EVERYWHERE. AND NOT A SINGLE STICK THAT WILL BURN!



LOST HALF A DRY PAY (HE) PAID THE FINE (SHE)

THOUGHT I'D HAVE A COUPLE TO DROWN MY SORROWS! BEEN IN MOST EXPENSIVE STOP SIGN IVE EVER WENT THROUGH!



THE WINNER AND STILL MAYOR

'CLAUDE' BY A GOOD CAPE!...



Pensioners Get Cheques After Holiday

OTTAWA (CP)—Health Minister Martin said Friday that old-age pensioners will not receive their December cheques before Christmas.

Mr. Martin, replying to a question asked by Alistair Stewart (CCF, Winnipeg North), said it would not be in the interest of the pensioners for them to receive their cheques before the end of the month.

The minister said delivery of cheques before Christmas would mean that pensioners must wait five or six weeks before receiving another cheque. This would place an "unnecessary hardship on pensioners with limited means."

Mr. Martin also noted that old-age pension and family allowance cheques are issued by the same regional offices of the health and welfare department. Family allowance cheques are processed during the first two weeks of the month and the old-age pension cheque in the latter half.

An administrative difficulty would arise if the date of issuing the old-age pension cheques were changed.

Television Screen 'Ghost Lady' Fades

BLUE POINT, N.Y. (AP)—The "ghost lady's" face finally faded Friday from a Long Island family's television screen.

And the NBC network said it has solved the mystery. NBC said the face that looked steadily out of Jerry Travers' TV set for two days was that of Francey Lane, a singer on the Morey Amsterdam show.

A network spokesman quoted a TV dealer who examined the set as saying:

"An explosion of electrons burned the image of a face into the fluorescent lining of the picture tube."

There was no immediate explanation of why the image disappeared, unless it burned off.

Government Employees Elect Moore President

Gordon Moore, a former president of the B.C. Government Employees' Association, Friday night was elected president of the association's Victoria branch.

He succeeds Frank Carr. Mr. Moore also is a past branch president.

Joan Gower was elected vice president.

Seventy-five per cent of those eligible to vote cast ballots.

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Funeral Services Fixed for Monday For John Briggs

Funeral services will be held Monday for John Clifford Briggs, automotive salesman for McLennan, McFeely & Prior Ltd., for 25 years, who died here Thursday. He was 51.

Born in Carstairs, Alta., Mr. Briggs was well known on the lower mainland, as well as here. He was a member of Plantagenet Lodge No. 65, AF & AM, Vancouver.

He is survived by his wife, Marie; one son, Donald; one brother, Claude, and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral Monday will be at McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel at 3 p.m. Rev. F. Johnson will officiate. Creamation will follow.

Canada Popular In Far East Says Sinclair

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Federal Fisheries Minister James Sinclair, just returned from a flying trip to the Far East, said Friday Canada was the most popular nation in Asia.

Sinclair visited many of the Colombo Plan countries in the Far East—Korea, Japan, the Philippines, Indonesia, India, Malaya, Burma and Pakistan.

"Our stock has never been higher. We are taking the largest role in the plan, and it is appreciated," he said.

The fisheries minister said the next meeting of the tripartite treaty nations of Canada, the United States and Japan in Washington next month may bring some plan for protecting American and Canadian crab fishing rights in some sections of the North Pacific.

"Fishing is not a commercial trade with the Japanese—it is a matter of survival," he said. "They fish to eat."

Drivers Fined \$35 For Carelessness

Two drivers were fine \$35 each when they appeared in Saanich police court Thursday charged with careless driving.

Mrs. Patricia Icton, 1127 Fort, ran off the Gorge Road November 19 while traveling at what police said was an excessive speed.

A man who ditched his car on Blenkinsop Road November 7 blamed his trouble on glaring headlights approaching him.

John M. Howitt, hadn't mentioned the headlights to police at the time of the accident, however, and Magistrate H. C. Hall didn't accept his excuse.

Party for Children Of Navy Thursday

The annual Pacific Naval Command children's Christmas party will be held in the Memorial Arena, starting at 2 p.m. Thursday, December 17.

Featured will be the Victoria Skating Club and the naval band. The affair will be under the patronage of Rear Admiral J. C. Hibbard, flag officer, Pacific Command.

All children under the age of 12 years will receive presents. Anyone desiring tickets can secure them at the Arena Thursday.

APARTHEID TO HIT UNIVERSITIES

STELLENBOSCH, South Africa (Reuters)—Premier Daniel Malan served notice today that he will soon extend his color-bar policy to South Africa's universities.

He said his government has decided to end the "glaring anomaly" of the mingling of whites and non-whites in universities "as speedily as possible."

RCN Forms Reserve Air Squadron in City

Canada's third Royal Canadian Navy (Reserve) Air Squadron has been organized in Victoria.

Headquarters are at Patricia Bay airport and the new squadron has been designated "Composite Squadron 922."

The nation's only other such squadrons are at Toronto and Kingston.

The new squadron is under the administrative and operational control of the commanding officer naval divisions, with Victoria's reserve division.

HMCS Malahat, as its parent unit.

Resident instructor is Lieut. (P) A. M. Davidson, RCN, Vancouver.

No. 1, Cadet Flying Unit, formed here in July, 1952, to provide flying familiarization courses for naval cadets, has been disbanded. The Harvard aircraft formerly used by the unit has been transferred to Squadron 922.

Former service pilots and young men with private pilots' licenses may be entered as aircrew in the new squadron.

Present plans call for 10 pi-

lots to start off. Young pilots will be trained up to wings standard, qualifying to fly service aircraft and wear navy wings.

Six pilots already are on strength. Victoria and district members are Lieut. D. Slater, a provincial government employee; Lieut. E. F. Francis, a high school teacher at Sidney, and Lieut. S. McGoffey, a civilian instructor at Royal Roads. The other three are from Vancouver.

After the first 10 pilots have been brought up to naval standards, more will be taken

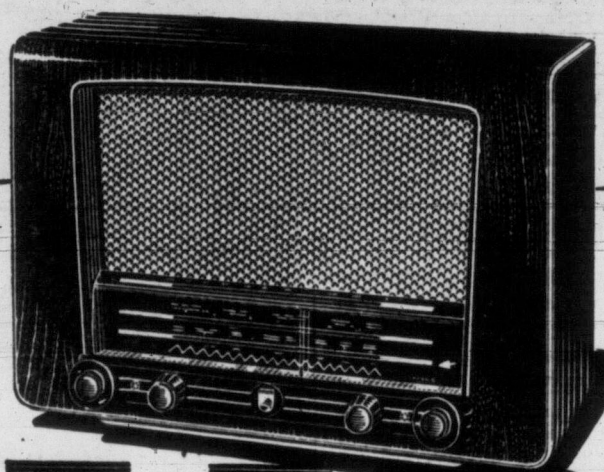
on. The squadron is meeting every Friday night for ground school and one complete day each week-end for flying training.

The squadron has two Harvard aircraft and is scheduled to get more. Hope has been expressed the squadron will have operational aircraft in future so it could become a combat unit with little further training.

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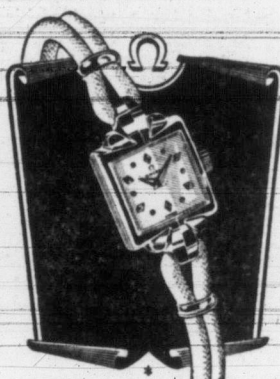
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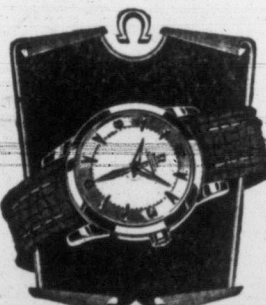


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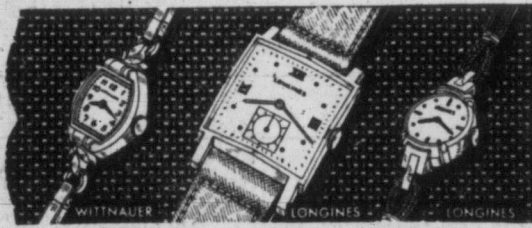


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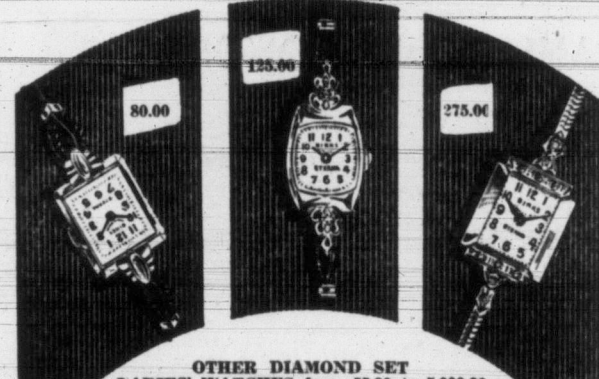


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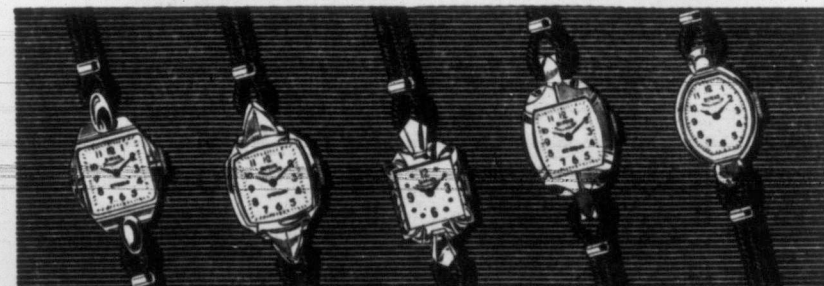
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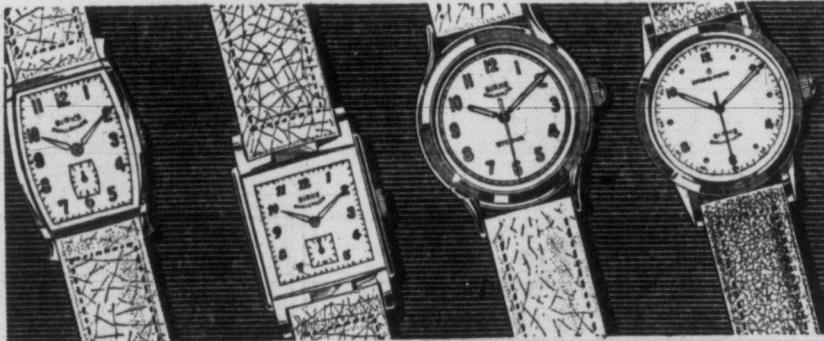
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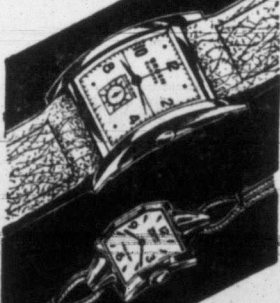
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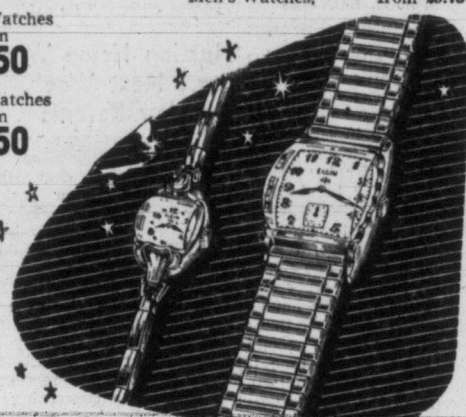
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Pupils of two special English classes at North Ward School have recently come from their respective countries. They are enjoying the Christmas carols the school teaches them as one medium in their language training. Left to right: Rolf Ruggo, German; Doreen Yee, Chinese; Ajmaer Kour, Hindu, and Gee Wah Fong, Chinese.

Arranged by
ELIZABETH FORBES
Women's Editor



Every Christmas the Y-Teens of Esquimalt High School pack a Christmas hamper for a needy family in the district. It includes a Christmas dinner of turkey, candy, nuts and fruit, toys for children and very often clothing. Pictured arranging this year's gift are, left to right, Carol Hawthorne, service committee chairman; Nadine Wright, club secretary, and Bev Ross, president.

Christmas Roundelay

At this season of the year schools of Greater Victoria have their different projects all planned to accent, in some way, the spirit of the Christmas season. A part of the story of these projects is told today in the pictures on this page.

Photos by
Irving Strickland
and Bill Halkett



With approach of Christmas Grade 1 children in Monterey School have as their theme "helping to make others happy at Christmas," with emphasis on "giving" rather than "getting." Here, gifts are being made for families and friends and decorations for the playhouse which the children helped to construct as part of their school studies unit. Seated on the floor, left to right, are Yvonne Daniel, Janet Harrison, Johnny Holtum and Effie-Jane Bailey. At windows, left to right, Wendy Davidson, Eddie McLean, Tommy Hall, Robin Lee, Jacqueline Burley and Karen Bull at door.



Centre—Framed in a cedar-decked archway with a backdrop of heavenly blue, the Christmas tableau is focal point of a carol-singing program which is traditional at Victoria West School. This year the little Mother is Sharon Duckmanton, Grade 6, while the watching children are, left to right, Gerry Gable, Marilyn Matthews and Lorna Bussey. Program is under direction of Miss Jean Cornell.



In S. J. Willis Junior High School the Marionette Club will present a shadow puppet show illustrating Christmas customs in many lands. Carols will be sung by the Girls' Glee Club, under direction of Miss Carol Menzies. Narrator will be Judy Worthington and director Mrs. Dorothy Williams. Left to right: Bill Buxton, Wayne Begg, Bob Gilson, Ken Thomas, Shirley Curran, Joan Edgelow, watch puppeteers; Derek Verley, Jim Marshall, Eleanor Campbell and Barbara Young.



Teachers, too, have projects of their own that include staff parties to mark the festive season. Above, Oak Bay High School staff combine a visit from Santa Claus, a Christmas tree and refreshments for the occasion. Left to right: Miss R. Pringle, Mr. T. Whittemore, who leads the singing; Mr. D. Oliver as Santa Claus, Mrs. B. Fraser and Principal C. Gibbard, with Miss K. Riley at the tea table.

SHOPPING GUIDE

Papier Mache Figurines Contain Wrapped Toffees!

By PENNY SAVER

Junior will go wild with delight if he finds a jolly clown or old-country "bobby" beneath the tree! Why? Simply because the comical papier mache figurines are full of toffees! The figures stand about 10 or 12 inches high and are painted in gay colors. The heads come off to let the candies out . . . and there's lots of fun left in the little men once the goodies are eaten. They cost 97 cents each.

They are available at just one store in Victoria . . . and it's interesting to note that this store is the only one in Canada which has any of the bobbies. You see, right after the shipment left Scotland, the firm that makes them burned to the ground.

* * *

They tell me it's an old English tradition to put sugar pigs in children's stockings. There are some in town, now, and the shopkeeper said that many an Englishman has been overjoyed to see them . . . just like a bit of home!

The little white pigs, encased in cellophane for cleanliness sake, are 35 cents each. They have adorable pink eyes, snouts and ears.

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Treat yourself to some liqueur-filled chocolate bottles . . . mmmmmmm! (Non-alcoholic, by the way). Let's see, now . . . there's cognac, creme de menthe, maraschino cherry brandy, apricot brandy, rum . . . oh, I could go on and on! All made in Holland, they cost 65 cents, 89 cents, \$1.25 and \$1.95 a box.

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Continuing with the subject of Dutch candies, there are boxes of chocolates from Holland that are mighty hard to refuse. So if you're on a reducing diet, read not! For 60 cents you can buy a box of chocolate windmills or milk mounds and for 90 cents or \$1.60 you can get boxes of assorted Dutch chocolates in such shapes as flowers.

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You know, I'm still getting calls from people who say: "I'm very sorry to bother you, Miss Saver, but would you be able to tell me where I can buy such and such?"

And then there are the folks who say: "Are you allowed to tell me where I can get that thing-amagig you wrote about in last night's paper?"

Of course I'm allowed to tell! As a matter of fact, I'd love to tell you. That's why I write this column, as a matter of fact . . . so I can help people who don't have time to shop around for themselves. I can't mention names of firms, as that would be advertising. But don't hesitate whenever you want to buy something I've written about . . . just give me a call at B-3131!

Half-Sizers—Look!



TODAY'S RECIPE

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Turkey wings, cutlets or drumsticks, flour. About ½ cup broth or water. For each six pounds of turkey: 1 tablespoon salt, 1 teaspoon white pepper.

Dredge turkey with flour. Brown in deep fat (350 degrees F.), five to seven minutes. (Meat may be pan-browned.) Place the meat in heavy kettle. Add just enough broth to cover the bottom. Sprinkle seasoning over meat. Cook tightly. Cook slowly at simmering temperature until meat is fork-tender. Add additional broth or water in small amounts if needed during cooking. Cooking time: 1½ to 2 hours. Serve plain, with gravy made with meat drippings, barbecue sauce or Spanish sauce.

AS WE LIVE

Woman Regrets Marriage To Man Her Father's Age

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, PhD

When a woman marries a man the age of her father, she and he are bound to be living in two worlds. That rarely letter has found. She says:

(Q)—"I have been married for nine years and have two sons, seven and eight years old. I am 30 and my husband is 52, just the age of my parents. He has provided well for us but there is no love at the foundation of our marriage. When my friends come to see us, my husband calls them 'young fools.' When his friends come I have nothing to talk about, as they talk about what happened 30 years ago, when I was a baby. So, as you can see, we are not living in the same world. I have enough money to have an apartment, get a housekeeper for my boys, and take a job. I couldn't go to my parents, as they did not want me to marry my husband. They told me an older man and a younger wife would never agree, and those are the truest words. Should I leave a secure home without happiness and go into an apartment, have happiness among my friends, in my job, and above all with my sons?"

(A)—What you should do seems to me to hinge entirely upon your sons' happiness, not yours. Are they happy in their home and with their father? Does he have the same intolerant attitude toward their perfectly normal childish behavior as he has about the young people who are your age? If he is devoted to the children and does not make life uncomfortable for them, you should not deprive them of the home their father can give them and of his companionship.

If, on the other hand, his age makes him a poor father in the sense that he lacks understanding of children, they would be better off away from him. The fact that you and your husband are not happy together is likely to be reflected in the way he treats the children.

Should you decide it is best to separate, make sure that the separation is only temporary until you see how things work out. Your husband may need only such an incentive to make him realize that he must be more tolerant and understanding of your age differences, just as you must.

Dr. Hurlock is the author of a 64-page booklet, "You and Your Problems." For your copy send 15 cents in coin with a stamped self-addressed envelope to this newspaper.



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Children's Party, Sub-Deb Ball Traditional at This Season



Already excitement reigns in many homes as mothers plan fancy dress costumes for young girls and boys going to the children's party at the Empress Hotel from 6 to 8 on Dec. 23. The affair is sponsored by Sir John Hebbden Gillespie Chapter, IOOE. Ready for the party now are, left to right, Patty Nugent, Denis Johnston, Deana Rankin and Jimmy Middleton.



A group of young sub-debates and their partners who plan to attend the Sub-Deb Dance from 9 to 1 in the Empress Hotel on Dec. 23 are, left to right, Donna Gibbons, Fred Green, Heather Macdougall, John Gittins, Mark Fair-

ley and Valerie Nesbit. The dance is also sponsored by Sir John Hebbden Gillespie Chapter, IOOE. Mrs. C. H. Rennie is convening the ball, assisted by Mrs. R. H. Spillsbury, Mrs. R. Hocking and Mrs. H. A. Richmond.

Club Women's News

For Koreans—At recent meeting of Florence Nightingale Chapter, IOOE, held in the home of Mrs. W. R. Roskelley, a sum of \$25 was donated to the fund for Korean orphans. Arrangements were made for a short notice rummage sale on next Wednesday with Mrs. W. Morgan in charge. Knitted goods valued at \$21 were turned in to Municipal Chapter. Articles were read by Mrs. J. Strong and Mrs. W. Morgan on "Better Living" and "Making Work Better and Easier". Mrs. M. Smith assisted in serving tea.

Elect Officers—At annual meeting of St. Mark's Women's Auxiliary and Guild, the following officers were elected: Mrs. R. H. Flint, president; Mrs. S. A. Bonell, first vice-president; Mrs. F. A. Virgin, second; Mrs. W. C. Heathfield, third; Mrs. J. E. Alder, recording secretary; Mrs. E. C. Head, guild treasurer; Mrs. G. B. Cartwright, WA treasurer; Mrs. C. D. George, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. Carter, Dorcas; Mrs. P. Smith, extra cent; Mrs. F. Simpson, living message; Mrs. A. Weston, united thank offering; Mrs. R. Willis, educational; Mrs. W. A. McMillin, prayer partner; Mrs. H. T. Shemilt, little helpers; Mrs. G. S. Stephenson, social service; Mrs. D. J. Mesher and Miss Dorothy George were appointed Junior Auxiliary and Girls' Auxiliary secretaries.

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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Here for Brentwood Wedding

Out-of-town guests at the Allen-McKay wedding this afternoon were Miss May Sparks of Calgary and London, Eng.; Miss Catherine Popham, Salt Spring Island; Miss Patricia Reed, Lieut. and Mrs. Craig Cameron, Lieut. and Mrs. Hart Crosby, Vancouver; Mrs. D. MacDonald, Cassidy, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. William McKay, Cherry Point, B.C.; Miss B. J. Hobbs, Trail; Mr. J. M. Fitzsimmons, Port Mellon, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Griffin, Shawnigan Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. William Kenyon, Duncan.

A Shower for Miss Hobbs

Mrs. E. J. Harwood, assisted by Mrs. Robert Peterson and Mrs. Allan Harwood, was hostess at a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening at "Devonia," her home on Hobbs Road, to honor Miss Barbara Hobbs, who is to be married on Dec. 19. Gifts were arranged in a decorated clothes basket and presented with a corsage of pansies, the bride-elect's favorite flower. Her mother, Mrs. J. L. Hobbs, received red rosebuds. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Gordon Harwood and Mrs. Don Henderson. Others present were Mrs. F. V. Hobbs, Mrs. G. G. Williams, Mrs. H. F. Bourne, Mrs. F. J. Harwood, Mrs. Peter McGill, Mrs. F. Coops, Mrs. E. Whitaker, Mrs. Clifford Godfrey, Mrs. F. Banks, Mrs. E. Browne, Mrs. D. Gee, Mrs. F. Sampson, Mrs. E. E. Badger, Misses Etta Evans, Mary Wilkin-son and Beth Williams.

Dance at Seattle Ball

Members of Victoria's younger set who traveled to Seattle to be present at the formal ball given by Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Moray Gilling on the occasion of the 21st birthday of their daughter, Miss Diane Elizabeth, were Mr. and Mrs. George Straith Jr., Misses Janet Bishop, Allison Snape, Margaret Nixon, Davidina McCormack and Diana Elkington.

PTA NOTES

North Ward—General meeting of North Ward PTA will be held in the school auditorium on Monday at 8. After a business session a Christmas party will be held. Each person attending will bring a gift of not more than 35 cents for the tree. There will be a door prize!

Victoria West—A Christmas party with games, refreshments and presents from a decorated tree distributed by Santa Claus, will mark the meeting of Victoria West PTA, Tuesday at 8. The party will be preceded by a short business session.

YWCA ACTIVITIES

Monday, 4: Jumping Jills Drama Club.

Tuesday, 3:30: Junior art class.

Wednesday, 8: Chatelaine Club, Overseas Wives.

Thursday, 1:30: Housewives' bowling; 3:30: Cosmopolitans; 3:30: Junior-Glee Club; 8: leathercraft.

Friday, 7:30: Christmas at home, entertainment provided by junior drama, glee club, and folk dancing. Carol singing and refreshments for all.

Tuesday marks the annual Christmas concert by the YWCA Glee Club at Fairfield United Church. Sponsored by the men's club of the church, the proceeds are going to "Y's" World Service and Fairfield redecorating fund.

Mt. Tolmie—President of Mt. Tolmie PTA, Mrs. P. L. Bonnell, will speak at the next meeting, Monday, 8 p.m., on her attendance at the Bellingham Border Conference. Carol singing by children of the school will be featured. Refreshments will be served.

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CLUB CALENDAR

Local Council of Women, Monday, 2 p.m., YWCA. Miss Mabel Esson, guest speaker. Ladies' Auxiliary, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Tuesday at 8. Christmas social, meeting and initiation. Grocery donations needed.

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To Be Bridesmaid in England

Miss Diane Parsons, RN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parsons, Pembroke Street, leaves Monday by plane for Plymouth, Eng., where she will be bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Kay Bigelow to Sub-Lieut. Bob Gibbons on Dec. 23. She will also be bridesmaid at the wedding in Plymouth of Miss Elaine Mercer, formerly of New Westminster, and a fellow graduate of the Royal Jubilee Hospital School of Nursing, on Dec. 28. Miss Parsons will celebrate the New Year in Paris and will return to Victoria on Jan. 15.

Diamond Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Gale, Stellys' Crossroad, celebrated their diamond wedding anniversary last week with a quiet family party at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hafer, Brentwood. Mr. Gale was born in Ontario and Mrs. Gale was born in California. The couple met and married at Echo, Ore., and after their wedding moved to Alberta where they homesteaded. Mr. Gale did mixed farming. Owing to the sudden death of two sons in 1917, Mr. and Mrs. Gale moved to Victoria. They made their home in Saanich and have lived there since. They have another daughter, Mrs. R. A. Scott of Vancouver; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mr. Gale will celebrate his 90th birthday next month.

Parties for Engaged Couple

In honor of Mr. Robert Hutchison and his fiancée, Miss Corinne Moore, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Munro and Dr. and Mrs. Norman Cook are entertaining with a small buffet supper at the Munro home on Newport Avenue on Sunday evening.

Next Tuesday evening, in honor of the popular young couple, who are to be married on Dec. 19, Mrs. J. L. Clay will be hostess at a cocktail party at her home on Beach Drive.

On Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hutchison will entertain the wedding party at a buffet supper at their home on Rogers Road following the wedding rehearsal.

Pre-Christmas Entertaining

The pre-Christmas party calendar is filled with gay affairs next week as entertaining swings into higher tempo with the approach of the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Russell Ker will entertain on Sunday at their home on Rockland Avenue.

On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hawes will entertain a few friends in late-afternoon at their home on Falkland Road.

Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Revel have invited friends to two after-five parties next week, the first on Thursday and the second on Saturday, at their home on Judge Place.

Capt. and Mrs. V. S. Godfrey are entertaining friends after-five on Friday at Victoria Golf Club.

Rounding out the week is the traditional "carol" party to which Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pennington invite friends. This year it is planned for Saturday evening at their home on Montrose Avenue.

Coffee Parties Planned

Mrs. W. E. Baker has invited friends to a coffee party at her home on Midland Road, the Uplands, on Monday. Honor guest will be her sister, Mrs. Augustus Wood of Tucson, Ariz., who has come to spend the holiday season with her.

Entertaining at a coffee party on Thursday, are Mrs. H. S. Roy and Mrs. G. Robb, at the home of the former on Vimy Street. Presiding at the refreshment table will be Mrs. Len Acres and Mrs. C. Mellis Mair.

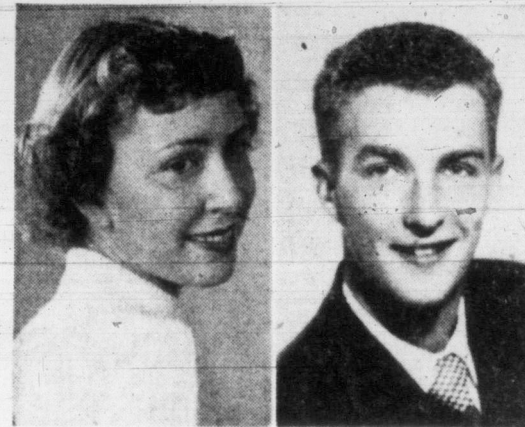
Post-Nuptial Shower

Misses Pat Curtis and Pat Gibson were co-hostesses at a recent miscellaneous shower at the home of the former, honoring Mrs. Fred Simonsen, the former Miss Elizabeth Martin. A corsage of mauve chrysanthemums was presented to the guest of honor, and her mother received a corsage of pink carnations. Gifts were concealed in a treasure chest. Guests were Mrs. M. Martin, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. M. Curtis, and Misses Marjorie Bousfield, Benita Chan, Yvonne Christopher, Jean McMillan, Caroline Oliphant, Muriel McLean, Donna Sparks, Margaret Warriner, Jackie Henderson, Marion Polidwor and Amy Carter.



Visitor From Ontario

Miss Vanlea Cave came from Ottawa this week to spend the holiday season with her parents, Col. J. C. Cave, commanding officer, Work Point Barracks, and Mrs. Cave. The visitor, a graduate of Ottawa Civic Hospital, plans to make her home in Victoria.



To Be Married in England

A December wedding of local interest is foretold in the engagement of Kathryn Marian (Kay) Bigelow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bigelow, Port Hope, Ont., to Sub-Lieut. Robert Allan (Bob) Gibbons, RCN, son of Lieut. and Mrs. T. W. Gibbons, 1465 Fort Street. The wedding will take place on Dec. 23, at Plymouth, Eng. Sub-Lieut. Gibbons was born and educated in Victoria, attending St. Louis College and Oak Bay High School. He is a Royal Roads graduate. For the past two years he has been attending Royal Naval Engineering College, Plymouth, Eng.

Oaklands—There will be an exhibition of folk dances by the Glisleen Dance Group at meeting of Oaklands PTA at the school on Monday at 8. Carol singing and refreshments will follow.

Tillicum—Following a business meeting there will be carol singing and bingo at meeting of Tillicum PTA at 8 in the school. Refreshments will be served.

Scottish Girl Has Almost Dual Personality in Two Life Interests

By ELIZABETH FORBES

Talk to "Antonia" Ireland . . . in Canada from Scotland a little over a year . . . and you learn she is a graduate of Edinburgh University with an honors Master of Arts degree in geography. Let "Tony" Ireland do the talking and you discover an outstanding athlete that during university years was Scottish champion in the shot and twice took second in the Scottish championships in the discus throw.

She held the university record for the discus too and one year captured the university hurdles cup.

Let "Antonia" Ireland come to the fore again and she will tell you quite seriously that traveling is one of her main interests, combined with stamp collecting and the theatre.

Her brown eyes look at you diffidently but there is pride in her voice when she says that she has a sister-in-law on the stage and that her brother is a theatre manager and also secretary of the Pitlochry Festival Theatre Society Ltd.

When the brown eyes start to twinkle and "Tony" reappears, you find out that this attractive young woman always "threw a cricket ball and played rounders as a youngster" but that she didn't take up athletics seriously until she was in her third year at university.

Then she jumped into it in earnest, throwing the discus, the shot, the javelin, learning to high jump and even running in the 220-yard races.

It was her love of travel that brought Miss Ireland to Canada in the autumn of last year, "at a moment's notice, too." "A friend of mine was coming out to Toronto and I decided to come with her," is the way she tells it.

Almost a year was spent in and around Toronto and traveling by motor to many places in Canada and United States. Then Miss Ireland came to Victoria.

Why? . . . Here "Tony" takes over again and the brown eyes sparkle with excitement.

The British Empire Games, of course! In Vancouver next year.

"Tony" has her eye on those games. She is hoping to have a place on the team that will represent Scotland—and she



"Antonia," the student.



"Tony," the athlete.

would like to compete in the discus and the shot.

"I've taken the first hurdle already. . . I'm right here on the ground," she says quietly. "and I've been in touch with the Scottish president. Now it's really up to me."

At present "Tony" is training with Archie McKinnon at the YMCA. In the new year she will start a more intensive training that will speed up in tempo until the summer.

"I had heard of Archie McKinnon long before I came to this city," she says, "and I'm enjoying my work with him very much."

"Antonia" Ireland confesses she is interested in the administrative side of sport, too. She is a member of the Scottish Women's Amateur Athletic Association, "the SWAAA"; she has represented east district in Scotland on the Scottish net ball Association and was representative in net ball and athletics for the east district division on the Central Council for Physical Recreation in Scotland.

Looking ahead, both "Antonia" and "Tony" get together

as Miss Ireland's eyes turn toward Australia.

"I'm half way there now," she says with a note of excitement in her voice. "I'd love to see Australia, take some good color pictures. . . and at least sit in on the 1956 Olympics before I finally go back to Scotland."

Mrs. Arthur Ash Elected President

Officers for the coming year were elected at the annual meeting of the Victoria Liberal Women's Forum, recently held in the forum rooms, Government Street. Mrs. T. C. Smith presided.

Those elected were Mrs. Arthur Ash, president; Mrs. C. Kendall, first vice-president; Mrs. J. Slater, second; Mrs. J. T. Jones, recording secretary; Mrs. Mary Morrison, corresponding; Mrs. H. Ketchall, treasurer.

Mrs. T. C. Smith reported on the 25th anniversary meeting of the National Federation of Liberal Women, held in Ottawa, November.

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Bazaar Proceeds \$101

A bazaar held under convener-ship of Mrs. A. Speirs and sponsored by Esquimalt Community Club realized \$101. The affair was opened by the president, Mrs. J. Vickery, who was presented with a Christmas corsage. Christmas theme was used in decoration and those pouring tea were Mesdames R. McVie, J. Crewe, A. C. Wurtel and F. M. Roberts. Stallholders were Mesdames J. Hills, W. Strawson, J. Harper Sr. and G. West. Mrs. I. A. Thomas was in charge of tea tickets and Mrs. J. McDuff and Mrs. E. Parkinson ran contests. Mrs. Speirs and her co-conveners, Mrs. G. A. Jennings, were presented with a cup and saucer each, by the president. Court whist was played in the evening with I. A. Thomas, J. E. Radley, W. Strawson and R. McVie in charge. Proceeds will be devoted to the club's Christmas cheer.

IN GERMANY

Kate Aitken With Troops For Christmas Week-End

This year Canada's flying Kate Aitken will spend Christmas with Canadian troops at their new headquarters in Soest, Germany. From London, England, where she will broadcast her December 24 programs, Mrs. Aitken will fly to Dusseldorf, where she will be met Christmas Eve by Canadian Army personnel and escorted to Soest. On the 25th she will deliver a message from home to the troops and have Christmas dinner with privates from each of our 10 provinces.

Flying back to Britain Dec. 26, Mrs. Aitken will then go to Paris to report the glamorous holiday season of gay Parisians and return home by New York, where she will broadcast her Monday after Christmas show.

Kate Aitken's special Christmas trips have been proving something of a record these last few years. In 1950 she flew to the Holy Land, where she worshipped Christmas Eve in Bethlehem. In '51 she was the first woman commentator to fly in from seven islands to the new iron ore development at Burnt Creek, while last Christmas she spent at snow-bound Yellowstone in the Northwest Territories.

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Much Interest in Decorations Festival

Mrs. W. L. Maddin, left, and Mrs. A. W. J. Smith, are among the many well-known Victoria matrons who are placing entries in the Festival of Christmas Decorations.

Decorations to be held in the Empress Hotel ballroom on Wednesday from 2 until 9 p.m.

Junior League Snowball Frolic On Boxing Night

Plans were discussed for the Snowball Frolic at meeting of the Junior League to Queen Alexandra Solarium. The annual affair will be held in the Sirocco on Boxing Day night under convener-ship of Mrs. Doreen Ross.

Mrs. V. E. Fraser reported members are serving tea at Saturday matinees at Totem Theatre and Mrs. Howard Damaske announced \$100 realized at a recent fashion show.

On Sunday members and friends will go to the Solarium for the Christmas decorating party. Mrs. A. Davey who completed arrangements for the annual trip, reported that the party will leave from the Douglas Hotel at 10 a.m. in private cars.

Reports were given by Miss Jean Maquire and Mrs. R. Caldwell on meeting with Theatrical Club in Vancouver for preliminary organization of next year's Shower of Dimes and Mrs. H. Damaske, Mrs. D. Forrest and Mrs. E. C. Peters, who went to Port Alberni to form a chapter of the junior league in that city. J. R. L. Burridge of the board of directors told members about the Solarium's Book of Memories.



The festival is sponsored by Women's Auxiliary to Family and Children's Service. Convener is Mrs. Mathew Hedley, right front, and on her committee are Mrs. Vernon Ridgway, left front; Mrs. L. W. Bassett, Mrs. D. J. Hunter and Mrs. R. R. Wilde, back row, left to right. Proceeds will be used to assist with Christmas gifts and special comforts for the 250 children in care of the F & CS.

Mrs. L. Semple Receives Life Membership

In a ceremony at annual meeting of Afternoon Branch, Christ Church Cathedral, Woman's Auxiliary, Mrs. Lydia Semple was presented with a life membership of the B.C. Diocesan Board of the W.A. in appreciation of long service.

Diocesan president, Mrs. R. O. Taylor, read the service of admission, Miss M. J. Wollaston pinned on the gold badge and Mrs. R. Dwyer presented the certificate.

Mrs. Claude Gardiner was re-elected president with Mrs. M. W. Mackenzie and Mrs. M. Fairclough as first and second vice-presidents.

Other officers are Mrs. C. Courtney, treasurer; Mrs. S. H. Partridge, recording secretary; Mrs. L. Curtis, corresponding; Mrs. E. Harris, Dorcas; Mrs. E. Sigston, educational; Mrs. W. Green, prayer partner; Mrs. L. Semple, Living Message; Miss Ross Jones, extra cents; Mrs. I. Cascadden, united thankoffering; Mrs. W. E. Bowen, social service; Mrs. G. Howard, Little Helpers. Miss Bernice Hughes was re-appointed girls' leader with Deaconess Robinson, junior auxiliary superintendent.

Auxiliary Donations

The following donations were approved at last meeting of Ladies' Auxiliary, Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, BESL: Queen Alexandra Solarium, \$10; Protestant Orphanage, \$10; Tranquille for veteran's cheer, \$10; Korean children, \$10.

Mrs. H. F. Jarvis presided and Mrs. A. C. Craib reported 379 veteran patients in hospitals visited during the month. Mrs. B. Waite visited sick members.

Reports were given by Mrs. D. Kendrew, dressings and bandages, and Mrs. D. McCulloch, provincial executive meeting. Mrs. Jarvis was named convener of the legion day hospital visiting.

It was decided to send fruit baskets to veterans and shut-ins for Christmas and a gift to the adopted patient at Veterans' Hospital, Mrs. K. Sheret was appointed to send a food parcel to the British Isles.

Receives New Appointment



MISS NORMA MacLEOD Jean Burns Ltd., Douglas Street, are pleased to announce the appointment of Miss Norma MacLeod as new manageress. Formerly of Vancouver, Miss MacLeod is well known in the retail trade in Victoria through her previous connections in the sale of millinery and millinery supplies.

Ann McKay Wears Antique Pendant For Colorful Scottish Ceremony

An antique crested pendant which has been in the groom's family for over 150 years was worn this afternoon by Ann Isabelle McKay when she repeated nuptial promises at Brentwood College chapel with Michael Walter Elliston Allen.

Rev. N. A. Lowe heard the vows of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angus McKay, 24 Olympia Avenue, and the son of Major W. E. Allen, St. Alban's, Herby, Eng., and Mrs. M. J. Allen, Brent Eleigh, Suffolk, Eng. Mrs. Allen is formerly of Gordon Head.

The bridal couple were piped to and from the church by pipers from the groom's regiment, and an honor guard was formed by his fellow officers. Organ music during the service was

played by Mrs. Faith Webster, Benson wore a gown of plum tone with navy accessories.

Squad. Ldr. W. M. Martin, 2455 ACW Sqn., proposed the toast.

Both the bride and groom are members of local reserve forces. The bride, formerly of Vancouver, received her MA at University of British Columbia in 1951 and is a flying officer of 2455 Sqn., Victoria. The groom is adjutant of the Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's).

For traveling Up-Island and on the Mainland on honeymoon, the bride chose an imported tweed suit of rose, navy and white with navy accessories. The couple will live at 2010 Runnymede Avenue upon their return.

The bride's attendants were Mrs. J. B. Hick and Mrs. Robert Young who wore taffeta gowns of Nile green and muted rose, respectively. The gowns were fashioned on Empire lines and they wore matching taffeta coronets in their hair. Chrysanthemums formed their bouquets.

Lieut. Craig Cameron, Seaforth Highlanders, Vancouver, was best man. Ushers were Capt. A. E. Sherwin and Lieut. Robert Young, both of Victoria.

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Ontario Swings Scales Against Drew Leadership

As a sequel to a national opinion released last Wednesday, in which Canadian attitudes towards the political leadership of the Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent were measured, the non-partisan Canadian Institute of Public Opinion polled attitudes towards the political leadership of the Rt. Hon. George Drew, and found these facts:

Because of strong opposition in heavily populated Ontario, slightly more people were found to be in favor of Mr. Drew's retirement than opposed.

However, in all areas outside Ontario, attitudes of voters were either divided evenly or favored his retaining his leadership.

One in four persons (a far higher ratio than in the case of the prime minister) had no opinion.

More Canadians can think of a successor to Col. Drew than can think of a successor to Mr. St. Laurent.

In conducting this survey across Canada the institute put these two questions to a random sample of voting-age people, using the same techniques which enabled it to forecast the outcome of the Aug. 10 election within less than 1 per cent of absolute accuracy:

"There has been some talk that Mr. St. Laurent should retire as leader of the Liberal party in favor of another leader. Do you think Mr. St. Laurent should, or should not, retire?"

And, "There has also been talk that Mr. George Drew should retire as leader of the Progressive Conservative party in favor of another leader. Do you think Mr. Drew should, or should not, retire?"

It will be seen that the two questions were strictly comparable in wording.

The national comparison:

	St. Laurent	Drew
Should retire	22%	40%
Should not retire	39%	39%
Qualified	1%	1%
No opinion	38%	20%

To get a focused picture of what the above percentages mean it should be borne in mind that a single province (Ontario) accounts for the unfavorable balance in the Drew column. In Ontario the poll found 50 per cent of the sample believed Mr. Drew should retire and only 30 per cent felt he should not. The situation is clearly shown in this table, which compares attitudes in Ontario with those in the rest of Canada:

	Ontario	Rest of Canada
Col. Drew—	30%	34%
Should retire	22%	40%
Should not retire	39%	39%
Qualified	1%	1%
No opinion	38%	20%

Among rank and file Progressive Conservative voters the verdict is a slim margin in favor of their leader, the vote being 42 per cent in favor of retirement, 44 per cent opposed and 14 per cent undecided.

As with those who felt that Mr. St. Laurent should retire, the corresponding group who want Col. Drew to retire were asked:

"Have you anyone in mind you would like to have succeed him?"

The member for Prince Albert, Sask., Mr. John Diefenbaker, has a long lead: Ontario Premier Leslie Frost, 2; Donald Fleming (Eglington, Ont.), 1; Miscellaneous, 2; Have no one in mind, 25; Don't wish to say, 40.

Total: who think Drew should retire, 40%; who think Drew should not retire, 40%; who think Drew should not retire, 20%; who think Drew should not retire, 20%.

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Astronomers Work On Space Travel, Lecturer Reports

Professional astronomers are taking a greater interest in space travel and the possibilities of working from space stations, Norman G. Rogers, Sooke school teacher, told the annual meeting of the Victoria Branch of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada at Terry's restaurant Thursday.

Mr. Rogers spoke on the development of the reflecting telescope and astronomical achievements of the past year.

The meeting re-elected Robert S. Evans as president. Others elected were Dr. Andrew McKellar, honorary president; Dr. Jean K. McDonald, vice-president; Major E. R. Gibson, second vice-president; Mrs. R. Edmonds, secretary-treasurer; F. R. Williams, recorder; Robert Peters, director of telescopes; O. W. Smith, librarian.

Elected to the council were J. L. Climenhaga, N. Hutchings, John L. Jervis, Norman G. Rogers, Gordon Shaw and Dr. Anne B. Underhill.

Truck Stock Stolen, Culprit Imprisoned

Gobal Tom was sentenced to the minimum term of one year in prison when he pleaded guilty in Duncan Friday to breaking into a truck and stealing \$150-worth of goods.

Magistrate A. C. Sutton heard police evidence that Tom had forced his way into a Hudson's Bay Co. wholesale truck parked outside the Commercial Hotel, then had taken the goods to a parking lot where he covered them with some clothes.

He returned later, and police watched him retrieve the goods. He told the magistrate he was married and had several children.

HISTORIC CHURCH

The ancient cathedral of St. Mark at Venice, Italy, is distinguished by its five domes.

MILITARY ORDERS

18th (BC) COAST REGIMENT, RCA
Duties for week ending Dec. 15:
Orderly officer, O.C. Mason, Capt. C. McLeod next for duty; orderly sergeant, Sgt. A. M. Foster, Sgt. E. J. Kennedy next for duty.
Bn's Band—canton order: Bandmaster, Bandmaster L. E. Coyle next for duty.
Parades:
Dec. 15, 1945 hrs., regimental parade: 2000 hrs., training as per syllabus, 2200 hrs., dismissal.
Bn's Band—1945 hrs., regimental parade and drill: 2045 hrs., band practice: 2150 hrs., dismissal.
Friday, Dec. 15, 1945 hrs., regimental parade: 2000 hrs., to 2030 hrs., as per syllabus; 2100 hrs., to 2150 hrs., sports; 2000 hrs., dismissal.
Bn's Band—1945 hrs., band practice: 2045 hrs., band practice.
Combined regimental Christmas party for members' children in the Bay Street Armoury between 2 and 5 p.m. Dec. 15.
15th (BC) HEAVY ANTI-AIRCRAFT REGIMENT, RCA
Duties:
Orderly officer for December 2nd-Lieut. L. A. Seider, orderly sergeant for December, Sgt. D. Stanley.
Following officers will comprise audit board: Capt. A. G. Williams, chairman; 2nd-Lieut. F. Richardson and O.Cdt. L. A. Seider.
Note: Combined Christmas party Dec.

CALL FOR DONORS

Blood Bank For Polio War Sought

Blood to fight polio presents a new collection task for Red Cross already busied in collection of blood for normal hospital needs.

That is why officials say the December clinic is the most important one ever held in Victoria and the need for new donors of greater urgency than ever before.

The best weapon so far discovered in the war against polio is Gamma Globulin, a blood derivative. The Red Cross has undertaken to gather the blood for a federal government Gamma Globulin bank.

In order to build a bulwark of GG against a threat of renewed polio next year the Red Cross must gather 150,000 donations more than is regularly required.

An objective of 350 pints per day has been set for the December clinic here which will be held at Red Cross House Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and at the Parliament Buildings on Friday.

Hours at Red Cross House are 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. and 7 to 9:30 p.m.
Slogan for the drive is "Make This Your Christmas Gift to the Red Cross."

TCA Flight Reports 'Thing' Over Lake

OTTAWA (CP)—RCAP radar Friday night was scanning for a "thing" after a "greenish-blue" light was spotted over Lake Ontario by a Trans-Canada Air Lines flight.

Similar reports of a "greenish-blue" light came from Smiths Falls, some 40 miles south of here, and from Perth, 10 miles west of Smiths Falls.

B.C. Farmers Plan to Press For Anti-Dumping Legislation

Leaders of B.C.'s agriculture industry will press for anti-dumping legislation against U.S. fruits and vegetables when they meet here next Thursday at a government-sponsored markets conference.

The conference will be attended by Agriculture Minister Kenneth Kiernan and representatives of various marketing agencies operating under the B.C. Marketing Act. Vegetable and fruit growers will also attend.

The delegates will urge the provincial government to request the federal government to revise the anti-dumping regulations. They claim the present regulations are inadequate and fail to protect the farmer from "dumping tactics."

Growers point out that B.C.'s potato industry is threatened by the importation of huge surplus stocks of U.S. grown potatoes into the province.

Surplus stocks of pears and other fruits shipped into Canada is also seriously affecting fruit growers who supply the fruit canning industry, it is claimed.

The problem is considered a ticklish one by agriculture experts as U.S. growers in their turn have complained that Canadian farm products are dumped onto their market. They all agree there is no easy solution to the problem.

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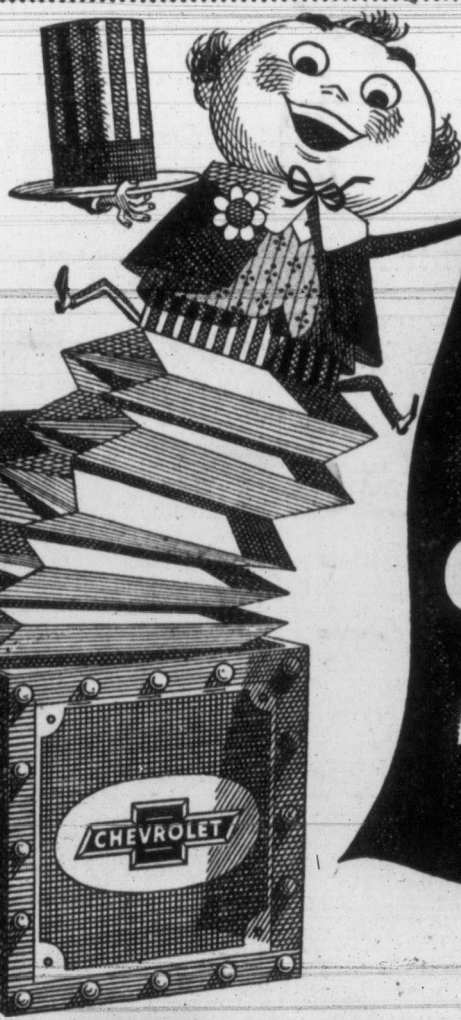
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Storm-Felled Tree Strikes Happy Valley Home

W. D. Johnson, Latoria Road, Happy Valley, above, today studied best way to remove 80-foot fir tree that fell across his house at 11 p.m. Friday. High wind combined with rain-soaked tree, soft ground, and shallow roots caused tree to fall, he said. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

POWER FAILS, HOME DAMAGED

School Children Marooned As Savage Wind Whips City

BEAUDOIN HEADS OFF BLACKMORE 'PURGE'

OTTAWA (CP)—John Blackmore, Social Credit member for Lethbridge, tried twice Friday to start a debate in the Commons on possible Communist infiltration into government jobs.

Both times Speaker Rene Beaudoin ruled him out of order on a technicality. Mr. Blackmore said he wanted the Commons to discuss the immediate need of setting up adequate means of identifying all Communists or Communist agents "who may be, or come to be, among the personnel of Canadian government offices" and of safeguarding Canada against harm from these agents.

AFTER VESSEL CAPSIZED

Two Tug Survivors Kept Brief Contact

Engineer Kept Hold on Upturned Lifeboat 14 Hours in Freezing Sea; Search Goes On

(From CP and BUP Dispatches)

VANCOUVER—An armada of small boats combed icy waters 50 miles northwest of here today for two possible survivors of a tug sinking from which at least two of seven crew members escaped alive.

RCMP officers said it was "just possible" that the two remaining men were as lucky as the boat's captain and engineer who made it to shore. "The chances are slim, but the other two men might still be alive," a spokesman said.

The bodies of three other crewmen were recovered Friday, 12 hours after gale force winds rammed the 75-foot C. P. Yorke against a reef and sent it down in 40 fathoms of water. Two of the dead were identified tentatively as Fred Crutcheley of Vancouver, the mate, and ship's cook S. Curzan, also of Vancouver.

Capt. Roy Johnson was thought to be the only survivor of the crash until chief engineer William MacDonald of Vancouver made it ashore in the ship's lifeboat Friday night.

MacDonald landed at Nelson Island and was taken to Pender Hospital, where he was reported in "very good condition."

RELATES ORDEAL

Mrs. L. C. Hartley, matron at St. Mary's Hospital, told of MacDonald's ordeal: "When the boat began to sink, MacDonald was pitched into the water. But he had his lifebelt on—all the crew did. After several minutes, he managed to swim to a lifeboat which had been torn from the boat when it sank. He managed to clamber onto the lifeboat, which had a canvas

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"Several minutes later, the lifeboat turned over, but its canvas cover kept it afloat and MacDonald clung to the bottom."

The engineer kept his hold for nearly 14 hours and drifted 12 miles from the wreck scene. Then he lapsed into unconsciousness.

"He was washed ashore," Mrs. Hartley said.

He was found unconscious on the beach at Cape Cockburn, Nelson Island, by a Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, owners of the fishboat Howie.

Capt. Johnson, who was hospitalized at Pender Harbor suffering severe shock and exposure, first told how the mishap occurred at the entrance to Buceaneer Bay in the Thormanby Islands.

"It happened about 2 o'clock," he said. "Before we knew it, we were swept onto the ledge. We got lifebelts and rafts and went over the side. I kept worrying about the others and then I lost consciousness."

The bodies were recovered by fishing vessels and tugs that converged on the area after the crash.

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Mrs. Stella Gordon, a factory worker who was eating lunch in a Thamesville restaurant, said the girl sat at the counter with man who looked to be about 35 years old. She had a puffed face and swollen ankles.

Mrs. Gordon's companions at



Glen Lake Home Damaged in Fire

Suite on second floor of Glen Lake notions store was gutted by fire that started shortly after 8 a.m. Volunteer firemen from Langford and Colwood, who answered the call, are seen on roof of still-smouldering building. Fire was hottest in room by charred window and wall at left. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

TWO FIREMEN HURT IN LANGFORD BLAZE

Mother, Three Children Escape Unhurt; Father Comes Home to Ruined Suite

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Ronald Renshaw, 25, of 745 Island Highway, was blown down a steep flight of stairs when attempting to reach the blazing suite, and suffered back injuries.

Haldor Beebe, 46, of 60 Dunford Road, was cut on the left hand by broken glass. Both men were taken to St. Joseph's Hospital in the Langford Volunteer Fire Department ambulance, and were discharged following treatment.

The suite was occupied by Mrs. Edward Bennett and her three children, who escaped safely.

Rod Bayles, Langford fire chief, said the fire started in the bedroom of the apartment.

Whitecaps, Rain As Queen, Duke Cross Pacific

ABOARD SS GOTHIC (CP)—Brilliant sunshine of the last week which has brightened the voyage of Queen Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh towards Fiji Islands vanished today.

The weather turned cloudy and overcast, with rain visible five miles away from this Royal liner. The wind whipped whitecaps on to the Pacific rollers.

The Queen and the duke wore sun glasses Friday as they stood on the saluting platform above the bridge of the Gothic and watched a ceremonial change of escort ships, which the Queen filmed with her camera.

They are due at the Fiji group Dec. 17, where they will spend three days, including an overnight trip to the Friendly Islands, 450 miles away.

A BOWL OF BARLEY GRUEL

\$3,179.51 in Life-Saving Fund

(Donors' List, Page 15)

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Since Friday, 95 persons have contributed, upping the total from \$2,800. More than one-third of these contributors were anonymous.

Many of today's contributors are not in the names list which follows. They will be shown Monday.

The "Barley for Korea" campaign, now in its sixth day, is on behalf of the Unitarian Service Committee. The USC, is trying to reach an objective of \$125,000 across Canada by Christmas.

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Civil defense sirens were given an audition today.

All over the Greater Victoria area the sirens wailed their warning, all too familiar to hundreds here who remember the days of the blitz in Britain.

Purpose of the test is to discover just how far the voices of alarm can be heard, whether there are still district sirens in a "silence zone," and if the racket of industry and traffic is sufficient to drown the siren shrieks in downtown areas.

Queries to the Times, fire halls and police indicated the sirens were heard far and wide. But the full results of the test won't be known until all data has been tabulated by civil defense officials.

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The Americans, who refused to go home last summer in "Operation Big Switch," told Lt. Gen. K. S. Thimayya, commander of their Indian guards, they would go to the explanation tents if they were permitted to issue statements to newsmen after making their choice.

"I am sure they will come out," the soft-spoken Indian general said.

West Bromwich Heads Soccer Play

LONDON (UP)—West Bromwich, which lost the first division lead to Wolverhampton last week, played a 2-2 tie with Arsenal today and edged back into first place as the British Soccer League's top teams found rough going against weaker clubs.

Burnley was the only team in the top five able to win and its 2-1 triumph over Wolverhampton toppled the latter from its newly-won top position. It was Wolverhampton's first home defeat of the season. (See scores, Page 2.)

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Contact 117 (Rufus) 4.75 4.00
Limekiln (Kene) 3.00
Time—1:14 3/4
Second Race—
Ladlow (Baird) 19.40 \$4.00 \$5.00
Gordon Bolt (Winnings) 4.50 4.00
Gladwin Choice (Mower) 4.00
Time—1:15
Third Race—
Rage to Riches (Babinski) 88.00 \$4.00 \$5.00
Hug Up (Hawman) 6.50 2.00
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Fourth Race—
Dunlop's Lorry (Winnings) 44.00 \$15.00 \$20.00
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Time—1:14 3/4
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Time—1:11
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